THE WEATHER

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GEN. HUERTA'S RESIGNATION MAY BE ANNOUNCED TODAY

He Intends to Leave Mexico, Says Member of His Cabinet.

LEAVE IT TO CARBAJAL

His Plan Not Acceptable to Carranza, However.

ESTAVA RUIZ DEPARTS

Dictator Decides to Retire to Save His Country, and His Capital City From Capture and Probable Sack.

Vera Cruz, July 12.—To save his country from further horrors of civil war and his capital from capture, and perhaps, sack, General Huerta intends to resign the provisional presidency and leave Mexico.

This statement was made today by Robert Esteva-Ruiz, Mexican subsecretary of foreign affairs, who reached Vera Cruz from Mexico City on his way to Europe. Huerta, he said, will surrender the Government to Francisco Carbapal, new minister of foreign affairs, who in turn will step aside for a provisional president, acceptable to the Constitutionalists.

"The President did not make me his confidant," Esteva Ruiz declared, "nor did I have much time to talk with him after it was determined I should leave the cabinet."

To Step Down This Week.

The sub-secretary was convinced, he said, that Huerta would lay down his power this week and it would not surprise him if his resignation were announced tomorrow. Carbajal, he added, was suggested as provisional president by the American delegation at the Niagara Falls mediation conference and agreed to by Huerta's delegates and the South American mediators while the Constitutionalists indirectly had conveyed the idea that he would be acceptable to Carranza.

"That is," Estava Ruiz explained, "Carbajal would be a more provisional president than the real provisional president to be named later."

Thinks Fighting About Over.

When the suggestion first was made, Villa had not indicated his willingness to accept Carbajal, Esteva Ruiz said, and he doubted Villa's willingness to accept him now. As for Zapata, he had no idea that the Southern leader would recognize any provisional president until demands for re-distribution of lands had been complied with. Unless something occurs to disarrange the present plan, Esteva Ruiz is convinced fighting between Federals and Constitutionalists is over. This, he said, was indicated by the evacuation of Guadalajara.

Both Huerta and General Blanquet, his war minister, the sub-secretary said, knew that longer resistence was futile and would mean nothing more than the slaughter of thousands and perhaps the sacking of the capital itself.

Like Adolfo De La Lama, minister of finance, who arrived here yesterday, also in flight to Europe, the sub-secretary of foreign affairs professed still to maintain his connection with the government. He had been named, he said, special ambassador to Argentina, Brazil and Chile to convey the thanks of the Mexican republic for their efforts toward mediation. With his family, he will sail from Vera Cruz on the steamer Alfonso XIII for Spain and from that country, but declared, to South America.

Esteva Ruiz did not explain why he had chosen a journey to the coast through the American lines.

Huerta May Follow Him.

De La Lama said the reason he chose the Vera Cruz route was the insistence of Huerta that by going through the American lines openly he would show the world the Niagara Falls agreementt was not a farce so far as Huerta and the United States were concerned.

This knowldge has given rise to the suggestion that Huerta himself also may pass through General Funston's lines. Esteva Ruiz displayed no great enthusiasm regarding the future. He was frank in expressing doubt regarding Villa's future attitude. Villa, he said, provided the greatest problem before the new regime.

Not Acceptable to Carranza.

Laredo, Texas, July 12.—Reports from sources usually reliable were current in Nuevo Laredo today that General Vestuniano Carranza had been interrogated by Huerta agents regarding the acceptability to the Constitutionalists of Francisco Carbajal, recently appointed minister of foreign affairs, as provisional president of Mexico. It was said Carranza replied he would not recognize Huerta nor any one chosen in this way to succeed him.

It has been reported recently that Huerta's agents have been in secret conference with Constitutionalist authorities and it was believed that an attempt was made by Federals to select in this way Huerta's successor. Carranza's quoted reply and his recent statement that he would adhere to the original plan of Guadalcupe apparently show that nothing but conquering Mexico City by forces will be acceptable to the first chief.

Insists on Huerta's Suerender.

Saltillo, Mex., July 11.—via Laredo, July 12.—After a confeerence between John R. Silliman, representative of the United States and General Carranza, announcement was made today that the first chief of the Constitutionalists was firm in his determination not to confer with President

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MR. BRYAN DEFENDS PROPOSED TREATY

To Settle Differences Between U. S. and Colombia.

STATEMENT IS ISSUED

Declares Columbia Sustained Greater Financial Loss Through Taking of Panama Than the $25,000,000 Will Cover.

Washington, July 12.—Secretary Bryan issued a statement tonight defending the proposed treaty to settle differences between the United States and Colombia over the separation of Panama. The treaty has met vigorous opposition in the Senate, and Former President Roosevelt has atttacked it as a vehicle for the payment of "blackmail."

Mr. Bryan declared that it was necessary to discuss only the fact that an estrangement exists, and not the events which gave rise to the differences; and that regardless of whether Colombia has a just grievance against her more powerful neighbor, no one would deny that the former country sustained great financial loss, considerably more than the $25,000,000 which the United States would pay under the treaty, through the separation of Panama. As to the expression of regret on the part of the American government to which opponents of the pending convention offer their bitterest objection, the Secretary said this was almost identical with a similar expression in the Du Bois memorandum on the basis of which the Taft administration unsuccessfully sought to placate Colombia.

The statement in part follows:

"As the terms of the Colombian treaty have been published, and it is now before the Senate for ratification, the following statement may assist the public to form an opinion upon the merits of the question:

"The present administration found an estrangement existing between the United States and Colombia—an estrangement that has contined nearly thirteen years. As the normal relation between nations is one of friendship, it is desirable that differences shall be adjusted and cordial relations resumed. It is not necessary to discuss the events which gave rise to this estrangement, because it does not matter which party was at fault: The estrangement exists, and this is the fact that must be dealt with.

"Colombia has all along insisted upon arbitration. If this nation were willing to arbitrate, it would not be necessary to discuss terms of settlement, because in the case of arbitration the parties accept the finding of the arbitrators and settle their differences according to the terms prescribed. It is not the policy of nations, however, to settle by arbitration questions like those arising between the United States and Colombia, and as arbitration is not resorted to, the settlement must be made by direct negotiations. Our nation, being much the larger nation, and having refused to arbitrate, takes upon itself the responsibility of doing justice to Colombia. Not only is it our duty to do justice to Colombia, but in case of doubt as to what is just, we must resolve that doubt against ourselves and in favor of Colombia.

"Colombia feels that she has been aggrieved, and whatever may be said to whether or not this feeling is justified, no one will deny that she has sustained great financial loss in the separation of Panama from her. Before the separation took place, this government offered Colombia $10,000,000 for the canal route and $250,000 a year for one hundred years. This annuity might be capitalized at about $7,500,000, so that this government's estimate of the loss suffered by Colombia could not be less than about $17,500,000. But that estimate was made upon the supposition that Colombia would retain the State or Department of Panama. The retention of Panama would have given to Colombia not only the value of Panama, but the incidental benefits to be derived from proximity to the canal. We cannot deny, therefore, that the actual loss to Colombia was considerably more than $25,000,000.

"But we have a later estimate to consider, namely, that placed upon the loss by the preceding administration. While there is a dispute as to whether Mr. Du Bois exceeded his authority in the proposition that he made, there is no doubt that he was authorized to make known to Colombia that the United States would offer as the basis of a treaty, if assured of acceptance by Colombia, $10,000,000 for the Atrata river canal route and arbitration of the reversionary interest of Colombia if the arbitration was decided in her favor. The $10,000,000 for the Atrata route—and the $10,000000, was evidently intended more as liquidated damages than as the price of the canal route—together with the value of the reversionary interest in the railroad would amount to $26,000,000.

"But Mr. DuBois went further than this, and suggested arbitration of a canal league, which might have added some $17,000,000 more, and then, upon his own responsibility, in order to sound Colombia as to her demand, asked if she would consider $25,000,000 with the arbitration of the reversionary interest in the railroad and without granting any privilege whatever. This question, while unauthorized, could not but create in the minds of the people of Colombia the idea that this government was willing to go further than its formal offer."

JUSTICE HORACE H. LURTON IS DEAD

Passed Away Suddenly at Atlantic City.

FRIENDS NOT SURPRISED

Fourth Confederate Soldier to Reach Place on Supreme Court of the United States—Was a Native of Kentucky.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 12.—Associate Justice Horace Harmon Lurton, of the United States Supreme court, died suddenly at a hotel here today, death being superinduced by cariac asthma. He was 70 years old.

The justice, who came here July 1, was in his sual health before retiring last night and had taken his customary evening outing on the boardwalk. Shortly after midnight he complained of feeling ill, and although his physician, Dr. Ruffin, who arrived yesterday from Washington, was summoned immediately, Justice Lurton died at 7 o'clock this morning. His wife and son, Horace H. Lurton, Jr., of Nashville, Tenn., were at the bedside. Mrs. Horace Van DeVenter, a daughter, and her husband, arrived tonight from Knoxville, Tenn, and other members of the family are expected tomorrow. The body will be taken to Clarksville, Tenn., for interment, the funeral party leaving here at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It was at that city that Justice Lurton began the practice of law and lived for 40 years. Funeral services will be held there Wednesday. Chief Justice White and several associate justice of the Supreme court as well as any friends from different parts of the country are expected to be present.

Death Not a Surprise.

Washington, July 12.—News of the death of Associate Justice Horace Harmon Lurton, of the Supreme court, at Atlantic City today, was received with profound sorrow by friends and associates in Washington. The knowledge had been general for months, however, that he was a very ill man and that death might be expected at any time.

For a year or more Justice Lurton's condition had been serious but he insisted on performing his duties until last December when he was compelled to go to Florida. At that time it was reported he would resign, but after fighting for health in the South until April he resumed his place on the bench to take an active part in one of the busiest sessions in the court's history. The court adjourned June 22 for the summer, and ten days ago Justice Lurton went to Atlantic City, with his family, hoping to gain strength in the salt air.

Native of Kentucky.

Born at Newport, Campbell county, Kentucky, Justice Lurton was attending county schools when the War Between the States began. Though only 17 years old, he enlisted in the Confederate army and became a trooper under General Morgan. Three years later he was captured and imprisoned. A personal appeal by his mother to President Lincoln brought about his release on parole, and when the war closed, he was studying law at Cumberland University. He graduated in 1867 and began practicing law in Tennessee.

After serving four years as a Tennessee division counsellor, Judge Lurton returned to the practice of law in 1878 and eight years later was elected judge of the Tennessee Supreme court of which he became chief justice in 1890.

Appointed by Taft.

As a Federal jurist, Judge Lurton was closely associated with former President Taft, then a circuit judge, and when the vacancy in the Supreme court appeared in 1909 President Taft appointed him to the post. He took office January 3, 1910, being the fourth Confederate soldier to become a member of the country's highest court.

Speculation As to Successor.

There was some speculation in official circles tonight of a choice of a successor to Justice Lurton When it was reported last winter that Justice Lurton was about to resign, many persons suggested that former President Taft might be offered the place. It was said at the White House, however, that Mr. Taft's name had not been mentioned there.

Among those mentioned tonight were Secretary Lane, of the Interior Department; Secretary of War Garrison and Frederick W. Lehmann, of St. Louis. Some officials said, however, that President Wilson very probably would not appoint a member of his cabinet, as it is known he is particularly anxious to go through his term without a change in his official family.

GAVE BIRTH TO FOUR CHILDREN AT ONE TIME

Record of Mrs. S. N. Daniels, of Craven County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., July 12.—A telephone message received in Newbern last night from Merritt told of an unusual occurrence at that place on the previous night. The message was to the effect that Mrs. S. N. Daniels, wife of a prominent citizen of that place, gave birth to four children.

Three of these died a short time later, but one is yet alive. Mrs. Daniels had two children, the youngest of whom is ten months of age.

Currie, N. C., July 12.—Currie defeated Atkinson here Saturday in a fas game of baseball, the score being fifteen to two. The heavy hitting of the locals was the feature of the game. Batteries: Currie: Jackson and Walker; Atkinson: Corbett and Bostick.

FIRST ACTUAL PICTURES FROM ZACATECAS SHOWING CARNAGE OF THE AWFUL FIGHT

1-RUINS of FEDERAL BUILDING, ZACATECAS, BLOWN UP BY REBELS. 2-DEAD SOLDIERS and HORSES in STREET of ZACATECAS. PHOTOS © 1914 BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

These pictures are the first authentic ones to pass the Mexican censors and reach the United States from Zacatecas, where the rebels recently won a telling and decisive victory over the Federals. They were takn by a war photographer while stray bullets still whizzed in the air, but after the rebels had won. One of them shows dead soldiers and horses in one of the streets. Most of the city was thus strewn with dead, and the gutters ran red with gore. The other shows rebels carting away some of the dead on a small dray drawn by horses. These bodies were carted to big pits on the outskirts and dumped in. Later they were burned.

FIGHTING AROUND SAN LUIS POTOSI

To Establish Strength and Position of Federals.

ENGAGEMENTS DAILY

Victory There Will Mean the Speedy Opening of the Gateway for Final March Upon Mexico City.

Saltillo, Mexico, July 11., via Laredo, Texas, July 12.—Fighting already has commenced at San Luis Potosi. Engagements of outposts, designed by the Constitutionalists to essition, are of daily occurrence, accordsition are of daily occurrence, according to reports received here by General Carranza. These actions are in the nature of careful reconnoisances.

According to information secured by tae Constitutionalists, General Gustavo Maas has his forces, estimated at not less than 12,000 men, strongly entrenched within the city. It is not believed that Maas will attempt a sally, such as proved so disastrous for the Federals outside Guadalajara, but will make his stand within the city. General Gonzales, Constitutionalist commander of the division of the northeast, who will lead the main attack on St. Luis Potosi, today declared that while he anticipates desperate resistence, he is confidence of speedy victory for his forces.

The moral effect of the Guadalajara victory has been enormous, according to well informed officers.

Opening of the Gateway.

The third victory, making one for each column of the general advance to the south, will mean the speedy opening of the gateway to Mexico City, it is declared, and will render the Constitutionalist force invincible against the final stand of the Federals, probably at Queretaro.

General Gonzales practically has completed his preparations for moving the reserve troops in this section toward San Luis Potosi and will probably leave here Monday to take personal command of the assault on that city. His presence was expected to encourage the forces who fought under him against Monclova, Monterey, Tampico and in a score of minor engagements.

General Obregon is repairing the

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STRIFE IN MEXICO IS ABOUT TO END

Huerta Has Given Up Struggle at Last.

VIEW IN WASHINGTON

If Carranza Refuses to Treat With Carbajal, Foreign Pressure Will Be Brought to Bear—Must't Strike Man Who's Down.

Washington, July 12.—Events in Mexico are shaping themselves for a termination of the civil strife that has kept that country in a turmoil and threatened at one time to provoke war with the United States. General Huerta, against whom the Constitutionalists have waged incessant warfar since he overthrew President Madero 18 months ago, has given up the struggle at last.

Weakened by the failure of the United States to recognize his government and cut off from financial support in Europe, he realizes the big Consitiutionalist army augmented daily as it presses southward is at the threshold of the Mexican capital.

Fearful that an invading army may commit excesses which would endanger the lives of an innocent population and despoil property, persons influential with the man who has dictated affairs in Mexico City at his own whim have persuaded him to abondon his hopeless position.

Comprehensive messages to Washington diplomats from legations and consulates in Mexico City, thus described the situation.

Within a few days, perhaps tomorrow, General Huerta is expected to resign in favor of his newly chosen minister of foreign affairs, Francisco Carbajal, until recently chief justice of the Supreme court of Mexico. Difficulties between the United States and the Huerta government were composed at Niagara Falls. Huerta would leave the interal problem to be settled by his successor.

Carbajal Anxious for Peace.

Carbajal, it is expected, would bridge the gap from the Huerta regime to a new provisional administration controlled by the Constitutionalists. He has not been active in politics and is anxious for peace.

While Carbajal's reputation as a man of fairness and integrity is not questioned by the Constitutionalists,

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MYSTERY OF NELMS WOMEN DEEPENING

Every Effort at Solution Proves Failure.

BUT INQUIRY CONTINUES

San Francisco Chief of Police Wires to Various Cities, Especially Portland, Ore., Where Victor Innes is Located.

Atlanta, Ga., July 12.—Time and investigation apparently are deepening the mystery surrounding the disappearance of Miss Beatrice Nelms and her sister, Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis, members of the wealthy Atlanta family. Attention first was called to the strange case by a telegram from the Atlanta chief of police to the chief of police of San Francisco. This message requested the Californian to notify Marshall Nelms that his mother, in Atlanta, had received a letter from her daughter, Eloise, stating she had killed her sister, Beatrice, in New Orleans and intended killing her brother. The letter was dated July 3. Nelms is on his way to Atlanta.

No trace of either young woman has been found since that time. The police of five widely scattered cities ar as much at sea tonight as when they first began to investigate the mystery. A maze of clews evolved indicate that the principals may have met with foul play.

Nelms, before leaving San Francisco for Atlanta, July 10, showed a telegram he received June 8 signed "Nama" which read:

"Lookout for Eloise. She has killed 'B.' Search of San Francisco and Oakland failed to locate Mrs. Dennis.

According to Mrs. Nelms, the letter conveying the alleged threat against her son's life was signed in the handwriting of her married daughter, Mrs Dennis, who she said, left here June 10 for San Antonio, Texas, and was joined in New Orleans June 13 by Beatrice. On June 13, Mrs. Dennis cashed a draft for $1,450 at a New Orleans bank, supposedly to close up investments made in Mexico.

A telegram from New Orleans June 14 said the sisters were leaving for Houston signed E. and B. saying the sisters planned to stay there a few days longer. The last word from both

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TRUST BILLS NOW HAVE RIGHT OF WAY

Administration Measures to be Taken Up in Earnest.

IN SENATE THIS WEEK

Leaders Estimate It Will Require Five or Six Weeks to Past the Three Bills Separately—May be Combined.

Washington, July 12.—Trust legislation to complete the Administration legislative programme will be undertaken in earnest in the Senate this week, and Democrats and Republicans alike are straining at the leash to get the task and complete it as speedily as thorough considerations of the proposed measures to supplement the Sherman law and regulate issuance of railroad securities will permit.

Administration leaders have estimated that it will require at least five or six weeks to pass the three trust bills before them, the Clayton bill to supplement the Sherman Act, the bill creating an inter-State trade commission and the measure giving the Inter-State Commerce Commission authority to regulate the issuance of securities by common carriers. Republican senators think it will require more than six weeks if the three measures are considered separately. Some Democrats also hold this view, and there is a rapidly growing sentiment in favor of consolidating the three bills into one measure. This may be done before the debate proceeds very far.

Trade Commission Bill First.

As planned at present the inter-State trade commission bill, already before the Senate, will be disposed of first. The judiciary committee expects to report the revised Clayton bill by Tuesday or Wednesday, while Inter-State Commerce Committee hopes to have the railroad securities bill ready to report at the same time. These committees have been working night and day since the Senate adjoined Thursday night to whip the legislation into shape. Many changes have been made in both these measures as they passed the House, changes which will necessitate conference action after they pass the Senate, but administration leaders in the House have kept in touch with the action of the Senate committees and also with the pulse of the business public and predict that little time will be taken when the conferees are appointed. At best, however, it seems unlikely that Congress can adjourn much before September 1.

Jones and Warburg Also.

The squabble over the nominations of Thomas D. Jones, of Chicago, and Paul M. Warburg, of New York, as members of the Federal Reserve Board, will occupy much of the Senate's attention this week also, and it is probable that the fight will continue for some time. The banking and currency committee having voted adversely against Mr. Jones' confirmation, acting Chairman Hitchcock will submit the report of the majority tomorrow or Tuesday. A minority report urging confirmation also will be submitted. Mr. Hitchcock proposes to move in executive session that all testimony in the hearing on the Jones case be made public and the first test of strength over the issue will come on this motion. Senator Lewis, of Illinois, is championing Mr. Jones for the administration.

Mr. Warburg having refused to appear before the Banking and Currency committee, the committee still holds to its decision to do nothing with his nomination at the present time. Inasmuch as the President insists upon pressing the nomination, members of the committee hope that Mr. Warburg eventually will agree to appear before them that they may inquire into his financial affiliations in New York and also in Europe.

Work of the House.

The government's supply bills and legislation affecting vital conservation questions are occupying most of the time now in the House. Already twelve days of the new fiscal year have slipped by and appropriation bills, which apply to this year, are hung up all along the line. The result is that a resolution, again extending for fifteen days the same ratio of appropriations as provided for in bills for the last year, will have to be rushed through Congress this week.

Conservation differences are to be straightened out this week, if possible. Representative Adamson, of Georgia, insists that his bill approved by the War Department, to grant authority for permits for constructions of dams on navigable streams with a view to stimulating water power facilities to many communities and to improve navigation, safeguards the government in every respect and that there is nothing in it to warrant fear of throwing away great power rights to private capital in perpetuity. Representative Ferris, of Oklahoma, and others who do not agree with that view are insisting upon amendment to guard against anytning that might be construed to give perpetual private rights and to enable the government to step in and take over dams after 50 years if it chooses.

Speer Case Probably.

The House Judiciary Committee besides continuing this week the consideration of charges against Judge Dayton, of West Virginia, on which a number of witnesses have been heard in executive session, may take action at any time on the sub-committee's report on the case of Judge Speer, of Georgia, which declared that the charges did not warrant impeachment.

Represenative Webb, of North Carolina, chairman of the committee, will introduce a bill to provide an additional judge for the Southern district of Georgia, which is Judge Speer's district.

The Townsend resolution for an in-

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GIANTS TAKE OPENER FROM CUBS. PHILS. DOWN REDS.

:: SPORTS ::

SEVERAL BALLOONS IN ELIMINATION RACE FORCED TO LAND.

∴ STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	45	32	.584
Detroit	44	36	.550
Washington	42	35	.545
Chicago	41	35	.539
St. Louis	42	38	.525
Boston	41	38	.519
New York	28	45	.384
Cleveland	26	50	.343

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	43	29	.597
Chicago	41	36	.532
St. Louis	40	38	.513
Philadelphia	35	36	.493
Cincinnati	37	39	.487
Brooklyn	33	37	.471
Pittsburgh	33	38	.465
Boston	32	41	.438

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	44	29	.603
Indianapolis	39	32	.549
Buffalo	36	32	.529
Baltimore	37	34	.521
Brooklyn	35	34	.507
Kansas City	34	43	.442
St. Louis	33	43	.434
Pittsburgh	30	41	.423

RESULTS YESTERDAY

No Game sheduled.

At St. Louis 6; Boston 12.
At Chicago 2; New York 7.
At Cincinnati 4; Philadelphia 7.

At Indianapolis 5; Chicago 6.
Second: Chicago 2; Indianapolis 4.
At St. Louis 4; Kansas City 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Detroit at Washington.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
Cleveland at Boston.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

Southern Race Continues Close

SIX OF THE EIGHT CLUBS STILL MAINTAIN OVER .500 AVERAGE.

Atlanta, July 12.—The contest for the champuionship in the Southern Association continues exceedingly close. Six teams continued to maintain a percentage of 500 or more in the association's standing during the week just closed. Mobile retained the leadership while Birmingham displaced Chattanooga in second place and closed the week only a few points behind the leader.

Atlanta is now in third place. It had the best week of any club and as a result advanced from sixth position. Chattanooga dropped from second to fourth and New Orleans from fourth to fifth. Nashville lost more game than it won during the week and is now in the sixth instead of the fifth position. Memphis and Montgomery continued in seventh and eighth places respectively. They continued to be the only teams in the association with a percentage below the 500 mark.

Four tie games were played during the week Atlanta participating in three of them. Atlanta and Mobile played thirteen innings with the score standing one to one on Monday and on Wednesday the same teams again played a tie game of seven innings, four to four. The latter was the second contest of a double header here. Yesterday Atlanta and Montgomery played thirteen innings without result the score being three to three. The other tie game of the week was played Monday at Memphis, the latter having Birmingham as an opponent in a ten inning game which resulted 7 to 7. All of the drawn battles were on account of darkness.

SENATORS FINED $300; 3 PLAYERS $25 EACH.

Decision of Ban Johnson Regarding That Athletic Forfeited Game.

Washington, July 12.—Byron Bancroft Johnson, president of the American League, has handed down a decision regarding the forfeiture of the game by Manager Clark Griffith of the Washington Americans, to the Philadelphia Athletics, on June 26.

Manager Griffith announced last night that the Washington club had been fined $300, and Griffith, Schaefer and Gandil $25 aplece.

GENERALLY FAIR WEATHER.

With Temperature Above Normal East of the Rockies.

Washington, July 12.—Generally fair weather, with temperatures above normal east of the Rocky Mountains was forecaste dby the weather bureau tonight for this week. "Widely scattered thunder showers are probable," said the bulletin, "but no important disturbance is charted."

—The quarterly meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Charities will be held at the office of the association in the court house this morning at 11 o'clock.

NATIONAL

GIANTS TAKE FIRST GAME IN CHICAGO SERIES

Most Important Series of The Season to Determine League Leaders.

Chicago, July 12.—The series between New York and Chicago which will determine temporarily the National League leadership opened today with a seven to two victory for New York. The visitors outplayed the locals. New York touched Cheney and Zabel for a total of ten hits which netted 19 bases.

New York. . . . .010 220 020—7 10 0
Chicago. . . . .000 100 001—2 6 2
Tesreau and Myers and McLean; Cheney, Zebel and Bresnahan.

BOSTON BRAVES WIN SLUGGING MATCH FROM CARDS

Score Twelve to Five, Braves Getting Total of Fifteen Hits.

St. Louis, July 12.—Boston slugged out a 12 to 5 victory over St. Louis today.

St. Louis. . . .003 000 011—5 8 2
Boston. . . . . 102 300 402—12 15 2
Doak, Perdue, Williams and Snyder; Tyler, Crutcher, and Whaling.

SAVE ONE BAD INNING MAYER TWIRLED WELL

Phillies Took Opener From Cincinnati Reds Seven to Four.

Cincinnati, July 12—Philadelphia hit hard in the first two innings and won today from Cincinnati 7 to 4. Mayer had one bad inning in which Cincinnati scored three runs.

Philadelphia... .250 000 000—7 10 3
Cincinnati. . . .030 000 100—4 10 1
Mayor and Dooin; Schneider, Douglass and Erwin and Gonzales.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

International League.
At Jersey City 2; Newark 4.
2nd: Jersey City 0; Newark 6.
At Rocky Point: Providence 6; Baltimore 3.

Southern League.
At Memphis 1; New Orleans 5.
At Nashville 4; Mobile 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Indianapolis, 5; Milwaukee 3.
At Cleveland 3; Kansas City 4.
At Louisville 7; St. Paul 3.
At Columbus 9; Minneapolis 8.

Post Season Series of Feds

PICKED TEAM FROM SEVEN CLUBS WILL PLAY SERIES WITH PENNANT WINNERS.

New York, July 12.—Although the plans of the Federal League magnates regarding a post season series are not yet completed it is apparent that there will be an effort made to hold the attention of the baseball fans during the playing of the world's series between the winners of the National and American League pennants. The major leagues close their season on October 7 and the Federals on October 13. According to the tentative plans of the new organization the pennant winning clubs will issue an open challenge to the leaders of the two major organizations and it ignored will institute a series of their own.

It is proposed to select an all-star team from the seven clubs finishing after the pennant winner. This combination will play a series of seven or nine games against the league leaders. The contests to be held in various cities comporing the Federal circuit. The gate receipts will be divided among the players composing the two teams upon a basis of 60 per cent. to the winners and 40 per cent. to the losers. There is also talk of the magnates adding either a sum of money or autmoobiles to the pool in oredr to make the prize worth the winning.

FEDERAL

CHICAGO SPLIT DOUBLE WITH INDIANAPOLIS.

First Game Won by Chicago After 13 Inning Battle.

Chicago, July 12.—Chicago and Indianapolis split a double header today. The first game was won by Chicago after thirteen innings.

Indianapolis— 000 102 020 00 0—5 11 3
Chicago— 010 000 130 000 1—6 14 0
Mullen, Mosely and Rariden; Fisk, Hendrix and Wilson.

Second game—
Indianapolis . . . .000 100 120—4 4 1
Chicago . . . . . 000 100 010—2 10 3
Billiard and Warren; Prendergast and Block.

ST. LOUIS FEDS DOWN KANSAS CITY.

Triple in Second Inning Scored Three Runs and Won.

St. Louis, July 12.—A triple by Chapman in the second inning scored three runs today, a lead the visitors could not overcome.

Kansas City . . . .100 000 000—1 4 1
St. Louis . . . . .031 000 000—4 7 0
Stone, Cullop, Harris and Easterly; Davenport and Chapman.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Mobile	48	38	.558
Birmingham	47	38	.553
New Orleans	46	40	.535
Atlanta	42	37	.532
Chattanooga	45	40	.529
Nashville	44	41	.518
Memphis	36	48	.429
Montgomery	32	45	.416

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charleston	13	6	.684
Columbus	11	9	.550
Columbia	11	10	.524
Albany	11	10	.524
Savannah	11	10	.524
Augusta	10	10	.500
Macon	8	11	.421
Jacksonville	6	15	.286

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won	Lost.	P.C
Charlotte	43	28	.623
Durham	40	28	.588
Winston-Salem	35	30	.538
Raleigh	34	35	.493
Greensboro	26	41	.388
Asheville	25	42	.373

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	42	26	.618
Durham	40	27	.597
Winston-Salem	35	29	.547
Raleigh	33	35	.485
Greensboro	26	40	.394
Asheville	24	42	.364

CHIEF BENDER

Red McGhee says:

Good Indians are always dead, our great-gran' pop always said. But gran' pop's dead—dead wrong. If he could see Chief Bender work he'd substitute the low down Turk for Indian in his song. Perhaps it was that Bender name that dragged the redskin into fame for big league pitchin' stunts. For he can bend 'em in an' out. If you've got any sneaking doubt just look him over once.

He's helped the sturdy tribe o' Mack to leave their rivals holdin' sack for half a dozen years. His ol' right arm don't slow up none. Firewater Chief has learned to shun—he's off the cup that cheers. When less wise guys are shootin' craps you'll find the ol' chief shootin' traps—it helps his pitchin' eye. Despite traditions of his race good horse sense regulates his pace—this level-noodled guy.

Some pitchers rattle just like dice, but Bender's just as cool as ice when runners choke the sacks. He keeps his head an' plays it tight an' usually comes out all right before the derrick acts. He don't strike out so many men, he's hit quite freely now an' then, but still he sticks around and wins his games when he is due. Ol' Mack'll grieve when Chief goes to the Happy Huntin' Ground.

STARS * * * * * By Stallings

WOOP! WOOP! WOOP!
EARL WAS A REGULAR COWBOY BEFORE HE BEGAN THE GAME
STALLINGS
EARL HAMILTON
PITCHER
ST. LOUIS AMERICANS.
GEE! I'M FASTENED.
MAJOR LEAGUE BALL
HE JUMPED INTO FAST COMPANY AT THE RATE OF IT — AND STUCK —
THAT GUY'S GOT THE SOFTEST MAP I EVER KICKED
OH YES, HE LOVES THIS STUFF IN THE WINTER —

PENNANT POSSIBILITIES OPEN FOR NINE CLUBS

Three in National and Six in American.

Lagging Interest Has Picked Up Owing to Almost Daily Shake-ups in the Standing of the Different Clubs.

New York, July 12.—The half-way mark in the major league baseball season, reached this week, finds the race in each league still an open one, with pennant possibilities for at least three clubs in the National circuit and for six in the American.

Interest Picking Up.

Interest, which has lagged, because of the seeming prospect that the Giants and Athletics would continue the flag winning in their respective organizations, has picked up within a fortnight and almost daily changes in club standings are being followed with keen attention.

Eyes on Americans.

While the struggle between New York and Chicago, in the National League is a focal point for the eyes of baseball enthusiasts, the more sustained interest at present is in the American League race. Not in years has this organization produced so tense a struggle. When play closed last night the lead of the Athletics was only two and a half games over Detroit, Washington was but three games behind the leaders, Chicago half a game further down and St. Louis four games from the front. Boston was five games from the top.

Red Sox Disappoint.

The work of the Red Sox the last week was disappointing. The White Sox met the Red Sox in the Boston series and the best the 1912 world's champions could do was to take one game in four.

White Sox Gain.

The White Sox forged toward the front and at one period in the week were in second position. St. Louis and Washington were fighting each other to a finish while the Detroits, even without the assistance of Tyrus Cobb, who still is incapacitated, bested the Athletics in two of the three games finished.

Mackmen Wobbling.

Connie Mack's men finished the week wobbling. The New Yorks beat the Clevelands three games in four and worked further away from the cellar position.

Boston was the obstacle in Chicago's way which prevented the National League race from being still further tightened up.

Giants Slump.

The New Yorks, starting off with a defeat in the second game of a double header for Brooklyn Monday, dropped a game in Pittsburg, and were on the losing side of three consecutive games in St. Louis. They finally got a decision over the Cardinals yesterday. Their losing streak totalled five straight games.

Cubs Have Tough Luck.

Meanwhile the Cubs were having a hard time of it with the Braves. O'Day's warriors took but one game in four from Stallings' team. St. Louis gained the most advantage, pulling up somewhat on the Cubs and considerably on the Giants. From both near competitors, however, the Giants pulled away today, when they defeated Chicago 7 to 2.

Cincinnati pulled up slightly but was beaten today by Philadelphia. Pittsburg has been doing poorly again but may improve now that Fred Clark has benched some of his weak-hitting veterans and put in faster-going youngsters. Brooklyn has not fared well on the road, but Boston has been going like a whirlwind and is gaining ground.

Chicago managed to stay in front in the Federal League race. Two defeats for Indianapolis at the hands of St. Louis put the former temporarily out of the running in the struggle for first place and Chicago made its hold certain for a few days by winning the first game of its series with the Hoosiers'.

Brooklyn's spurt furnished most of the excitement. Starting with a victory over the Terrapins on Monday, Bradley's men, resting Tuesday, took a dobule header from them Wednesday and made it four straight Thursday. Baltimore dropped to fourth place and Buffalo moved into third.

The record in the American and National leagues of games played, won and lost, with runs, hits, errors and men left on bases, follows:

	P	W	L	R	H	E	LB
National.							
New York	7	2	5	29	69	14	43
Chicago	5	2	3	23	48	13	40
St. Louis	5	3	2	20	46	9	34
Cincinnati	5	3	2	30	46	10	24
Phila.	6	4	2	28	47	8	33
Brooklyn	6	2	4	28	59	8	40
Pittsburg	6	2	4	21	44	9	42
Boston	6	5	1	25	50	3	38
American.							
Phila. (x)	7	3	3	28	60	13	44
Detroit (x)	7	2	4	28	57	13	52
Washington	6	4	2	25	53	4	34
Chicago	6	4	2	23	53	13	35
St. Louis	8	5	3	29	73	12	52
Boston	6	2	4	17	41	8	34
N. York (xx)	7	4	2	29	46	7	39
Cl'vel'd (xx)	7	1	5	21	52	12	34

(x) Tie game Friday, July 10.
(xx) Tie game Thursday, July 9.

Heavy Hitters Batting to Form

COMPARATIVE BATTING AVERAGES SHOW GOOD COMPARISON WITH PAST.

New York, July 12.—Batting averages based upon the hitting in the two major leagues during the first three months of the 1914 season show that as a rule the heavy hitters of the past two years are batting fairly close to form. In the National League Grant, Cincinnati; Crandall, New York, and Zimmerman, Chicago, were leading on July 1, 1912. A year later Crandall, New York; Cravath, Philadelphia; Hyatt, Pittsburg, and Daubert, Brooklyn, were closely bunched in the race for honors. Their averages on the first of July were as follows: Grant, .329, which gave him fourth place among those players who had participated in at least twenty-five games. Crandall in the Federal League, was batting at .323 rate which put him among the first seven stick wielders in the new league. Zimmerman, however, showed a slump in his batting, being more than a hundred points below his previous record. Cravath, who batted .346 in 1913 showed .311, while Hyatt like Zimmerman was considerably below his 1913 form.

The averages in the American League was about the same, for while Jackson and Cobb were going at top speed, Tris Speaker and Nap Laoie had fallen short of their performances of the past two years. The standing of the first five batters in each year were as follows: 1912: Jackson, Cleveland, .402; Speaker, Boston, .384; Lajoie, Cleveland, .384; Cobb, Detroit, .382; Baker, Philadelphia, .349. 1913: Jackson, .404; Cobb, .397; Speaker, .371; Collins, Philadelphia, .352; D. Murphy, Philadelphia, .348.

This season Cobb was second with .349; Jackson third with .328; Baker sixth with .326; Collins tenth with .295; Speaker fourteenth with .280 while Lajoie had dropped far down the list with .247.

NATIONAL BALLOON RACES FROM ST. LOUIS ENLIST THE BEST AIR PILOTS OF AMERICA

1. INFLATING BALLOONS for RACE.. 2. Capt. BERRY.. 3. Capt. HAWLEY..

JOE, THE WAITER

The Shadchen's Labor Lost.

Joe Makes the Acquaintance of Perele Klotz, Who Is Party No. 10,746 in the Order of the Shadchen's Notebook.

By ISRAEL J. ZEVIN ("TASHRAK").

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SAY, but you must excuse me for letting you wait so long for your order. We had a big rush at dinner time and I'm glad it is over. We have summer boarders now, you know; that is, men whose wives are out in the country and they come here for their meals. I have lots of things to tell you about these husbands who feel so lonesome without their wives—nit. But I'll have to leave that for your next visit. To-day I'm going to tell you about that party that Bercovich the shadchen wanted me to meet.

Did I go to see that party—No. 10,746? You bet I did. I had to. The shadchen stuck to me like molasses and would not let me off. He came in here last Sunday noon, just as I was going to leave the place for my afternoon off, and he said:—"They are expecting you over there this evening."

"Who is expecting me?" I asked him, for, to tell the truth, I almost forgot all about the shidduch that he proposed to me when he was here a week ago.

"Why," he said, taking out the same notebook that he had with him the last time, and he read to me:—"'Party No. 10,746. Plain looking girl, 36; maybe a little older; weight 230; comes from a family of great rabbis; no money.' This is the party you wanted to meet. Now I made the appointment for you to meet her at her mother's house at half-past seven to-night. Please be a gentleman; don't disappoint her. It is worth while to meet such a girl, for she is a regular jewel, a diamond; may I have such luck!"

So I promised him to be there in time, that is seven-thirty sharp. The shadchen gave me the party's name and address written on the other side of his business card. And as I went to my furnished room on Canal street, to rest a little and to put on my yomtovdig suit, the shadchen, who was going a little my way, told me of his hard luck.

"Summer is a bad time for the shadchen," he said. "You see, the warm weather brings out the young people to the parks and to the picnic grounds. They go to Coney Island and to such other amusement places by the seashore. And lo! Before the summer passes they are already chosen-kala without the shadchen's help. I ask you, is this right? Is this what you call fair play? Nobody has any sympathy for the shadchen. In the theatres they make fun of him. The Yiddish papers print jokes and caricatures on him.

"See here, my bad luck, Joe," he said to me as we stopped at a soda water stand to have a drink, for it was rather warm—here is your dish of noodles in milk—"See here," the shadchen said to me. "Last week I made a trip to Tannersville. Lots of swell people stop out there with their marriageable daughters and grown up sons. Wierken, the editor of the Yiddish Morning Bulletin, is there; Fishman, the wealthy real estater; Krimsky, the kosher wurst manufacturer; Goldstein, of the Cemetery Trust, and many other prominent New Yorkers. Thursday night they were giving a charity ball in the ballroom of Yankelson's Paradise View Hotel. While the dancing was going on I was watching a young man who was dancing with the same girl all the time, and during the whole evening he hardly left her for a minute. Well, even a blind man could see that they were very much in love with each other. So I thought, here is a chance for me to take a hand and bring the game to a finish. But as I began to inquire about the pair I found out that they were husband and wife and that she is already a mother of two twins.

"This week I was caught in the rain while walking on Canal street, so I ran into Yampolsky's bank for shelter. And while there I saw a girl standing in a long line of depositors. The girl looked to be about thirty-two or thirty-three and she was very thin and pale, but in her hand she held a bank book and I could see a twenty-dollar bill sticking out from between the leaves. A girl with a face like that, I thought, must have about $2,000 saved up. She'll be just the right party for a young widower that I know who is in business and is looking for a wife with a little cash. So I followed the girl to her home and there I found out from the neighbors that the girl is living with her aunt, who is a dressmaker. In the evening I came up, introduced myself and began to talk business. Imagine my surprise when I was told that the girl has no money at all! That bank book was her aunt's. What do you think of such shlimmazel?"

"As we came near Grand street the shadchen left me to go my own way."

In the evening I was all ready for the appointment. I had to climb up four long flights of stairs until I reached the three room apartment of Shima, the feather plucker, on Rivington street. Everybody in the block knew her by that name, for the woman makes her living by plucking the feathers of the chickens in a kosher butcher shop. The old lady who met me at the door gave me a cordial boruchabo, and she took me to the front room. "My Perele will come in right away," she said to me. "You know all the pretty girls like to look still prettier. Oh, she is such a darling, my Perele, a real pearl! So good, so devoted—she'll make a husband happy. She is not like other girls who go around flirting with every boy they meet. And that is maybe the reason she is still with her mother. But I am sure her destined one will come and that he'll be one that is worthy of her. Excuse me, I'll be back soon."

On the table I saw a big spread in my honor. There were oranges, apples, bananas, mixed nuts, mandelbeigelech and home made jelly. But I was not hungry—I was rather interested in the conversation between Perele and her ma. I have good ears and I could hear it—nearly every word of it—from the room where I was.

"Try and be smart, my daughter," I heard the mother say. "He looks to be a fine boy. That's right, Perele; put your hair high up. It is the latest style. Put some more of that stuff on your other cheek. Maybe he'll fall in love with you. It is about time for you to get a husband. What's the use of fooling around with that baldheaded barber, Gimpelson? You think it is a secret? Why, everybody in the block talks of it. Yossel, the janitor, saw him kiss you in the hall one night and he told everybody. I warned you a hundred thousand times to keep away from that loafer Gimpelson. He has a wife in Galicia. I hope this young man who is here now will never hear of it, and I hope no enemy will tell him of the trouble that we had six months ago, when he lived in Fourth street, when Cock-Eyed Yetta Solomon, the truckman's wife, traced you and her husband to a moving picture place, and there she made such a gevald and a riot that we had to move from that neighborhood."

Of course all that was very valuable information for me and I was busy thinking of a good excuse for going home. But here mother and daughter came in and I was introduced to Perele. The shadchen did not exaggerate a bit. She was thirty-six, and maybe more, but she bore her 230 pounds with a light step, and her triple chin shook at every move she was making.

"My daughter is very pleased to meet you," said the mother, who did all the talking. "She wants you to sit down right by her, but she is too bashful to say it herself. Peel off an orange for him, Perele; don't be bashful." Then turning to me the woman said:—"I don't know why, but I liked you at first sight. I feel already as if you were my own son."

I sat there for half an hour or so. Then I told them I had an important letter to write, which must be dropped in the letter box before the last Sunday night collection, and therefore I must cut my visit short. The old lady invited me to call again.

As soon as I came home I began to write the letter, addressing it to myself. Here it is. Let me read it to you:—

"MISTER JOE KATZMAN:—Don't be blind, look out! Don't believe a word of what that liar of a shadchen, Bercovich, is telling you, Perele Klotz is a girl that I wouldn't wish my worst enemy for a wife. It is all a big bluff about the great rabbis in her family. Six months ago she and her mother were compelled to move from Fourth street, because a woman living in the neighborhood made a riot in a moving picture place, when she found her husband and Perele Klotz sitting there together and eating peanuts from the same bag. In the block where the Klotz girl lives now there is a barber by the name of Gimpelson, who has a wife in Galicia, but he likes Perele best. They are on kissing terms."

This I signed "A Love of Truth," and I mailed it the same night. Next morning it came back to me, duly post marked. I opened it and read it again, and for great joy I shook hands with myself.

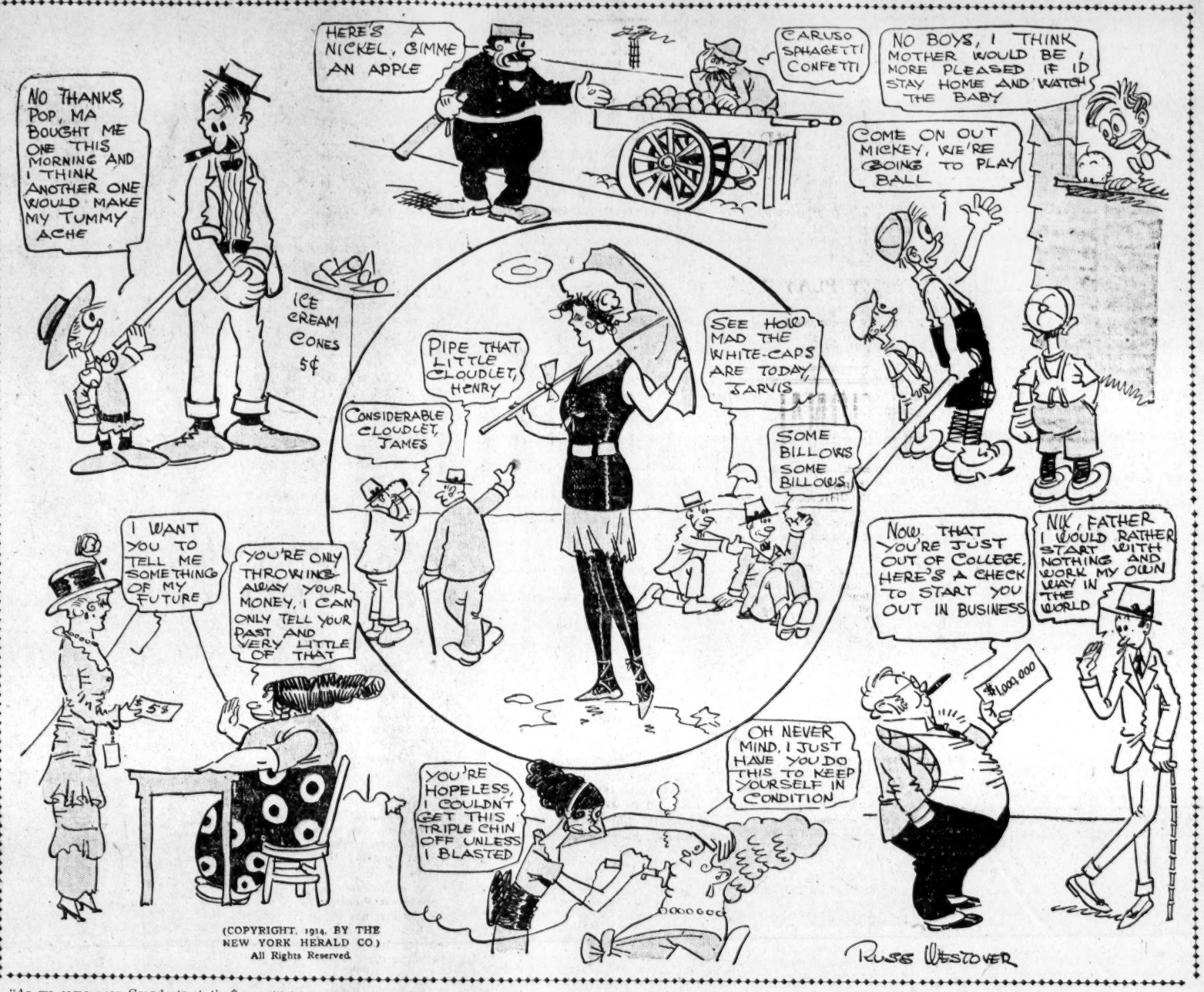
In the afternoon, when Bercovich, the shadchen, came to the restaurant to ask me about his party No. 10,746, I showed him the letter.

Oh, you ought to see what a face he made! Believe me, I felt sorry for him, for, after all, he is only a poor man, struggling hard to make a living for his family. But he soon regained his courage and said:—

"That rascal who wrote this is a liar, and I hope he will die a misse meshuna to-night. I'm sure he was in love with that girl, but she turned him down. Maybe it was sent by one of them eugenic professors, who wants to ruin my business. Don't you believe a word what he writes. You can see that the letter was written by an enemy for spite. We all have our enemies, and we can't tell what they would say about us if they only could make people believe them."

Then the shadchen left, murmuring to himself, "Such shlimmazel! Such bad luck again!"

FAT CHANCE!——By Russ Westover


HERE'S A NICKEL, GIMME AN APPLE
CARUSO SPAGETTI CONFETTI
NO BOYS, I THINK MOTHER WOULD BE MORE PLEASED IF ID STAY HOME AND WATCH THE BABY
COME ON OUT MICKEY, WE'RE GOING TO PLAY BALL
NO THANKS, POP, MA BOUGHT ME ONE THIS MORNING AND I THINK ANOTHER ONE WOULD MAKE MY TUMMY ACHE
ICE CREAM CONES 5¢
PIPE THAT LITTLE CLOUDLET, HENRY
SEE HOW MAD THE WHITE-CAPS ARE TODAY, JARVIS
CONSIDERABLE CLOUDLET, JAMES
SOME BILLOWS SOME BILLOWS.
I WANT YOU TO TELL ME SOMETHING OF MY FUTURE
YOU'RE ONLY THROWING AWAY YOUR MONEY, I CAN ONLY TELL YOUR PAST AND VERY LITTLE OF THAT
5¢
NOW THAT YOU'RE JUST OUT OF COLLEGE, HERE'S A CHECK TO START YOU OUT IN BUSINESS
NIX, FATHER I WOULD RATHER START WITH NOTHING AND WORK MY OWN WAY IN THE WORLD
$1,000,000
YOU'RE HOPELESS, I COULDN'T GET THIS TRIPLE CHIN OFF UNLESS I BLASTED
OH NEVER MIND, I JUST HAVE YOU DO THIS TO KEEP YOURSELF IN CONDITION
RUSS WESTOVER

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Progress of Civilization

Drawn by GREGORY

IMZGLUK!
OBIGCHIEFPAINSINTH EFALELOVEHISLITTLE POKEANDHUNTUS - TRA-LA-LA LA
AMERICA IN THE ROUGH SHOWING HOW WOMAN WAS CRUELLY TREATED AND FORCED INTO ABJECT SLAVERY. BUT ——
HANGED IF I CAN SEE WHAT THEY NEED THE VOTE FOR!
HEN-RY! WHY DONT YOU ANSWER THE DOOR BELL CANT YOU SEE IM BUSY??
— THE VAST CHANGES OF A FEW CENTURIES HAVE ELEVATED HER TO A PLANE WHERE SHE IS ALMOST MANS EQUAL
GREGORY

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Letters to a Brother in the City

By BERTON BRALEY

DEAR KID:—

Some puzzled, are you, to know whether it's the chorus lady or the stenog. in your office? I'm trusting it isn't seriously either one yet, because I want to see you seated a trifle more firmly in your office chair before you begin buying breakfast bacon and coffee for two. No, I don't believe I can exactly give you a suggestion as to which you love the best. You might write to the heart-to-heart column of the Monthly Household Visitor and get the lady who answers questions to decide for you.

All I have to observe at this time is that you had better not let the worship of the typewriter expert divert your attention from the purely mundane aspect of your work. Save the sentimental thing for leisure hours and do your mooning under the moon and not between nine and five. A queen at the writing mill has wrecked the future of many a promising man simply by getting his eyes out of the boat and causing him to bump into the bank. In other words, don't use the firm stationery to cipher out this "I love her, I love her not" problem.

I notice that you don't like your immediate boss. You also remark that he is a pinhead and a dumb mutt, and I gather that you haven't a great amount of respect for his talents. Now, it may be that you are correct in your estimate, and it may be that you are not. I should rather incline to the second supposition, believing that you have mistaken his lack of a college education and the polish and culture thereof for a lack of capacity in his work. Mullins is a pretty good judge of men, and I reckon he hasn't kept that fellow in his service for fifteen years unless he knows his business and tends to it. But if you really don't like him and haven't any confidence in his ability the best thing you can do is to go after his job—by proving you are better qualified than he is.

Getting back for a minute to the girl business. Why don't you get a man friend to take one of the girls out to supper with you and the other girl? Then you can study 'em together and see which shines brightest.

And if that doesn't decide you, you might try staying away from both of them and seeing which one you missed the most. Still, that wouldn't be fair to the lady on the stage, inasmuch as you see the typist every day and nearly all day. Or you might imagine which of them would look worst in curl papers—or in these clamps they use instead nowadays. I dunno, I've been married to a woman twelve years, and I've been happy all that time, but I'm hanged if I can tell you the particular reason I married her rather than some other nice girl.

I guess it was because I happened to call at her flat one day unexpectedly, when she had been helping to scrub the kitchen and clean the stove. Her face was smudged and her hair was awry and her hands were covered with ashes and soot and she was dressed in an old Mother Hubbard which was all damp and smudged, too—but for all that she was the prettiest thing I ever saw, and I just plain tumbled there and then. In fact, I took her, smudge and all, in my arms and kissed her in the hallway before she had a chance to speak, and so it was settled.

I'm rambling considerable in this epistle, but your own letter wasn't a model of unity or cohesiveness, and I'm infected by it, I imagine. Oh, I remember what it was I wanted to remark—about those photographs of your room you sent me. I notice you haven't got over the pennant habit yet and your wall looks like that of a senior high school girl, but I'm pleased to note that you've tucked the frat pin further back on your vest and chucked the frat fob, which used to be so conspicuous, into your junk box. Also I judge that you have light and comfortable quarters. I presume you're paying a large per cent of your salary for the room—and you're dead wise in doing so. As I said in one of my other letters, a fellow shouldn't be extravagant, but the hall bedroom thing, unless absolutely compulsory, is suicidal. Health and cheer are part of your working capital, and you'd better get all the sun you can these sunny days, even at the expense of the rainy day fund later. Many a man has "saved" himself into physical bankruptcy instead of spending to make himself immune to rain.

S'nuff for now.

ART.

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An ultimatum is not worth half as much as an up-and-at-'em.

Most of the big noise heard these days is the hum of the humbug.

Quite a number of Senators seem to be disposed to make war on Warburg.

Poetic justice has never been wreaked on South Carolina and Georgia newspaper poets.

"Women's Rights Recognized," says a newspaper headline. Even so, they don't seem to be recognized by those whose recognition counts.

If anybody is slower than molasses during freezing weather, he would run over our old friend Huerta while he is going so slow on getting cold feet.

A Republican orator exclaimed: "What is Bryan, anyway?" Owing to the fact that everything is blamed on him, we guess he's the wife of the Democratic party.

One reason why some politicians prefer to be wild and wooly and wall-eyed is because they know that a great many people mistake notoriety for reputation.

Among the other pipe dreams which Col. Ted. Roosevelt has is a confessed desire to break the Solid South. He auto know that even Ford will not be able to break the Solid South.

When one politician criticises another whose place he wants, it is no reason why he should have it. It always strikes us that they are endeavoring to furnish some sort of excuse for running.

It is getting so that about the best thing President Wilson can do in order to get things done without causing him worry, is to pick up most any stray North Carolinian and put him on the job.

Some of the people of Asia know how to make a jag-producing liquor out of milk, but in this country those who can get a jag out of the customary milk toddy can never be weaned away from it by any alleged Asiatic booze.

Our Dumb Animals says: "What would a horse say if he could talk?" Well, it would be something in the nature of a kick against the way he is treated in the summer time by men who talk but never think that a horse is entitled to some consideration when the weather is hot.

Some Western weekly newspaper publishers have entered into an agreement to adopt a strictly cash-in-advance plan for circulating their papers. We could never see why an agreement was necessary. Each editor ought to know as much as a Chinaman who thinks he hasn't done a bit of business till he gets the money before he delivers the package.

When they put Upton Sinclair in jail in New York, on account of some of his socialistic activity on Main street, he went on a hunger strike and refused to eat for the space of 30 hours. When Upton finally got as empty as a tank car on the return trip, he made a noise like a hungry drummer giving his order to the waiter.

Says the Charlotte News: "Governor Blease has made another cheap bid for notoriety by refusing to allow the North Carolina and Georgia troops to pass through his State on their way to the encampment." Tut! Tut! Tush! Pish! Piffle! Why don't the troops decide not to pass through South Carolina, but make up their minds to go through it?

Having been asked why the people all over the country are restless and are demanding the commission form of government, we would say that it is because the people all over the country are convinced that they are not getting the efficiency and economy they ought to get for the money they pay for what they regard as antiquated forms of government. They are blaming the corpse instead of those who are sitting up with it.

HEAVY TAX ON AMBITION.

Most everybody is prepared to agree with the Charlotte News that a handme-out of $1,000 for each candidate is a heavy tax for the privilege of running for Congress. That is what ambition costs a man in the Third Congressional district.

The Democratic Executive committee of the Third set August 1 for the ballot primary which is to decide the contest between former Representative Charles R. Thomas, of Newbern, and the Hon. Geo. E. Hood, of Goldsboro. That is the compromise primary suggested by the State committee, and the district committee has acted upon it and is arranging for the holding of the election. One of the first arrangements was to require an entrance fee of $1,000 from each candidate, and it is presumed that the two candidates will pony up.

The News expresses the opinion that "one thousand dollars is quite a tidy sum to pour into the coffers of the executive committee for the privilege of running for Congress." Thereupon The News comments:

"They may have the authority to do so but we are 'from Missouri' when it comes to having to plank down such a large sum of money to enable one to go before the people and ask their votes. If such practices is encouraged and kept up it will not be a great while until a poor man will have no chance whatever to run for an office. He can't afford it."

What use the committee has for $2,000 for a primary in the Third we can't imagine, but whether the money is actually needed or not, it furnishes just one more instance to show how antiquated and effete is our political party systems in North Carolina. We keep on showing our primitiveness, but perhaps enough incidents and more experience finally will open our eyes.

In the first place, there should be no heavy tax on a man's privilege to run for an office of any kind. The rules or laws should admit the poor and the rich alike to the privileges of the running, and whatever legitimate expense is incurred in an economical way should come out of the body politic of the district. It is their primary and not the primary of the candidates to be paid for by them and run by themselves.

If it were to become the custom in North Carolina of charging a man $1,000 for running for Congress it would positively be prohibitory for some of the best and most capable men in the State. It would be a picnic for those with a thousand or more with which to get into Congress, but the worst of it would be that some special interest or some clique could finance their man for a run and absolutely control him as their dummy if he should happen to be nominated and elected. He certainly would not be the people's congressman so's you'd notice it.

It is time for the Democratic party in North Carolina to become a compact, systematic organization, instead of a loose-jointed, chaotic concern solely depending upon haphazard manipulation by the few and the expected loyalty of the people. Our party certainly ought to have some form to it as well as some class.

FATE IS CALLING FOR HUERTA

When finally a man is right up against it he has to decide on accepting the inevitable. When he can't go any further he stops because he has to. When he has played the game and the other fellow has a handful of prize taking pasteboards, he throws down his hand. He knows when he has enough.

It has about come to pass that Huerta has decided that it is time to quit on the eve of being put out. He has put up a stubborn fight—the Old Indian has—but with all his gameness and stolidity there has been nothing masterful in Huerta's tempestuous, war-cradled career. The bravado that always is inspired by ignorance and stupidity has marked his career. There was no wisdom or justice to sit enthroned upon the brow of a man of Huerta's type. When the ignorant rule the land mourns.

Well, it is about all over with Huerta and everybody inspired with a sense of justice and veneration for constitutional government will be glad.

We dearly love to see the unprincipled, the stiff-necked, the brutal and the tyrannical hit the ceiling and make a dent in it big enough to hold them for good.

President Madero, it is easy to remember, was assassinated as the result of conspiracy, and the man with the sword in his hand usurped blood-stained power which he was not wise enough to exercise. Having gained power through treachery, treason and assassination, Huerta looked in vain for recognition by President Wilson. Because of that there were Americans who criticised and snarled at Wilson, but they had no standard.

The Democratic President did. Wilson's was a lofty standard, and it was a proud day for the American republic when it refused to extend the right hand of fellowship to any ruler or usurper with red hands. It is a great triumph for Wilson that he has stood firm, and we know he will yet win a magnificent triumph for principle. He could not set a standard for Mexico, but he set a glorious one for the American republic and stood by it. President Wilson is no quitter himself, but the best part of it is that he has stood pat on refusing to budge an inch from the right.

All this refers to the latter day situation in Mexico as revealed by the Star's dispatches yesterday and this morning. Huerta has about played his last card and it may be a day, a week, or a month of even more, but fate is surely but slowly turning his face to the wall.

GOOD CROPS IN EASTERN CAROLINA.

The Star's good reports from the various portions of North Carolina are as astonishing as they are gratifying. The long drought was appalling, and even though rains finally came after weeks of hot, dry weather, we feared that the crops would be seriously cut short. On the contrary, it is learned that a good average crop is promised, while in some sections more than the average is the rule.

It is curious. People in the towns felt blue because they thought everything was burned up during the prolonged rainless season. Nevertheless, Wilmington traveling men who have been all over the country say that crops are good and that the business outlook is good accordingly.

Farm Demonstrator J. P. Herring gives the same account, and he says it is all explained by the improved, scientific method of farming. Proper soil preparation, deep ploughing and the right cultivation, he says, has saved the day. He states that the drought afforded a fine opportunity to observe the marvelous difference between farming the right way and farming the old way. Where the old method farmer stuck to his old way and has a poor crop, the modern farmer on an adjoining farm has a splendid crop.

A Canadian preacher predicts that the time will come when there will be no liars. He's a good optimist, all right, and we hope he is a true prophet. Of course, he cannot possibly allude to the present time, for a campaign against Wilson has to be pulled off, and more conversation with reference to Colonel Bryan will have to be indulged in. Furthermore, additional explanations will be forthcoming as to how the Panamanians stood up as one man, got the inturn on the Panama Canal zne, and then sold it to us at the price agreed on beforehand, as a reward for carrying out all the arrangements on schedule time. There are so many other things to lie about from now on that we are pretty well satisfied that the Canadian minister must have picked out doomsday for the fulfillment of his prophecy.

When Adam was made he was given dominion over the earth, but one of the strangest things about Adam is that after he was compelled to move out into the country not a word about him was sent in by any of the correspondents. The inference is that he had to go to work and didn't have time to do things and get in the limelight. He went right out and began to serve his sentence, and it seems that he lived it down, got a start in the world and gets credit for populating the entire world. Adam was some constructionist and big businessite, and he succeeded without levying tariff taxes on everybody else so he could get rich and stay rich.

With a good local market in Wilmington and refrigerated transportation to New York and all the big markets of the North, a number of colored women are running truck farms and living at ease a short distance in the country. Industry has its reward and they are getting theirs right along.

The world wakes up early in the morning for news. Readers pore over every tale of woe, but merely glance at anything in the shape of glad tidings.

It has been written: "Above all things, be good natured." Especially when trying to argue with a Democrat, a Republican and a Progressive all at the same time.

Many men want offices, but not very many offices want them.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Of course big business wants to be let alone. In fact that is what it has been voting for all these years.—Durham Herlad.

It Mr. Pou is appointed a judge in Washington, the next congressman from the fourth district will come from Raleigh. Mark the words—Raleigh Times.

The discussion on how to spell the name of our beautiful city is raging again. The Charlotte Observer is desperately holding on to "Newbern," saying it prefers that way because it is more American. "For why" more American? It is un-American not to write "Newyork" and "Neworieans," etc? Arguing by analogy, we think the American custom is all on our side.—Newbern Sun.

Woman suffrage got a big boost when the National Education Association voted that political equality should prevail without respect to the sexes. Of course it may be said that the Education Association was influenced by the fact that there are so many women teachers, but the fact as to the ballot. The National Educational Association, too, is composed of the strongest minds of the teaching profession and its declaration for equal political rights for women is signficant.—Raleigh News and Observer.

The Union Republican takes its stand against state-wide primaries. It thinks there can be no "better, simpler or less expensive methods employed" than the "precicent gatherings." The Republican party has drunk the dregs. Its leadership has been chastened in a way without paralled in our political annals. Defeat of a political organization does not always carry with it reproach. But it was different with the Republican party; there was a deep scated popular conviction that the defect was so richly deserved.—Greensboro News.

The following editorial paragraph taken from Monday's Wilmington Star, is commended to those Maxtonians who are playing at business; also to the city fathers who follow the directions of the old town charter, which was granted before newspapers were published in the town. Do they really hate publicity as much as their actions indicate? "A number of reactionaries who used to advertise on a fence, under the impression that most everybody went out of their way to look the fence over, have decided to do all their advertising in newspapers. The principal reason, doubtless, is that no fence goes to the homes of people like a newspaper."—Maxton Scottish Chief.

The Observer has a communication from a Seaboard official in regard to its recent editorial suggesting a longer limit ticket between Charlotte and Wilmington. He says the Seaboard "has a 10-day ticket on sale all Summer to Wrightsville Beach good to return the second Monday following the date of sale at $7.50 the round trip. These tickets are on sale each Thursday. We also have week-end tickets on all trains Saturday and Sunday morning, good to return until the following Tuesday at $5 the round trip." The Observer was familiar with this arrangement, the idea advanced being that a 10-day-$5-ticket he put on. Perhaps this is asking what the traveling public has been wanting. What The Observer said was merely suggestive—Charlotte Observer.

THE NIGHT NEWS EDITOR'S BLUNDER.

In the July American Magazine Richard Spillane, a newspaper man, writes a fiction story entitled "Throug Hurricane and Flood," which contains a thrilling description of the Galveston disaster where dozens of lives were lost. At the end of the story he tells about Spurgeon, a reporter who went through the catastrophe and after a fearful struggle got to a telegraph wire prepared to tell the first great story of the flood. At the beginning of the following extract from the story Spurgeon is at the wire talking with the night editor of a great northern newspaper:

" 'This is Spurgeon from Galveston,' he said. 'I am just in. The city is in ruins. Thousands are dead. One of the most awful tragedies in the history of the world has occured. I have the story as well as man can have it at this time. I will send the story out of my head and I will keep going as long as you can take it, or as long as I can send' .

" 'One minute,' said the operator; 'the Night Editor is out for breakfast. I will have to send for him.'

" 'I will start up while you are sending for him,' said Spurgeon.

" 'No,' said the operator; 'wait until he comes in.'

"Five minutes, ten minutes, fifteen minutes passed before the night editor returned. Then the operator said to Spurgeon: He says the paper has gone to press. Be ready with a good story to-night.'

"Spurgeon was aghast. Then furiously he asked, 'Did you tell him I am just in from Galveston; that the city is destroyed; that thousands of people are dead there?'

"The operator said 'Yes I have told him all that, and he says the paper is run off now and it is too late. He will take the story to-night.'

"Spurgeon argued, pleaded, raged. He told the operator to tell the Night Editor a newspaper had never gone to press when such a story as this 'broke' He couldn't print enough papers to satisfy the demand this story would create. It was a 'beat,' the beat of the century. Back came the answer: 'No; it is too late. He will take it to-night.

"To have such a story spurned after all the horrors of that night was too much for Spurgeon. He began sending bulletins to newspapers far and wide. He sent these bulletins as far east as Boston, as far west as San Francisco, as far north as St. Paul, and as far south as New Orleans. He played no favorites. He had about thirty minutes' sleep. Then there came a pounding on his door. It was a telegram. Then came more telegrams, and more. The proprietor of a great newspaper in New York telegraphed that he wanted Spurgeon's exclusive service at his own price. Other papers eager to get the details of the great tragedy begged him to send stuff.

"The next day he had a thousand telegroms or more. Among them was one from the Editor-in-Chief of his Northern paper, saying he understood Spurgeon had reached Houston at 3 A. M., in ample time to give the story to his paper; he had chosen to hold it for the Associated Press afternoon papers. The Editor did not think Spurgeon had treated the paper fairly and unless he could explain his conduct satisfactorily, the paper wanted noth ing more from him.

"A year or so ago, Spurgeon met the great Editor. They chatted for a long time, and then, when the Galveston man was about to go he said, 'There's a question I have been wanting to ask you for many years.'

" 'Yes, I know,' said the veteran; you want to know what I said to that Night Editor.'

"Spurgeon nodded. There was wrath in the voice of the old man as he answered, 'I do not know. I never have been able to recall what I said, but he went out of this office and, and —he never returned.' "

FIELD DEPUTY COLLECTOR J. P. STEE LHAS RESIGNED

To Run Against Sears for Sheriff of Wake County.

(Special tarS Correspondence)

Raleigh, N. C., July 11.—J. P. Stell, chief field deputy collector of internal revenue, has tendered his resignation to Collector J. W. Bailey for the specific purpose of making a race for sheriff of Wake county against Sheriff J. H. Sears, who has held the office of sheriff nine years and is seeking re-election. Stell's resignation is accepted by Collector Bailey, who, in a special letter of acceptance, declares that Stell has broken all records of men in his position in the past, for this district and ventures the assertion that Stell scarcely has an equal as a chief field deputy in the entire United States.

In announcing his candidacy for sheriff, Stell says Sears has had the place for nine years and that he believes the people of the county are ready for a change. Stell has served as a deputy sheriff and then as chief of police for the city of Raleigh before he became chief field deputy under Collector Bailey. This race for the office of sheriff will be the hardest fight in the impending campaign for the legalized primaries that are to be held August 4.

One-Step Contest Tonight

Starts at 9:15. Sterling silver cup for prize.—Advertisement.

TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 6, 1914

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
6:25 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A. M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
6:10 P.M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 P. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M.; and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P. M.	

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Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

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On sale August 1, 2, 3, and 3, limited returning August 16.
On sale August 5, 6, 7, and 8, limited returning August 26.
On sale August 13, 14, 15 and 16, limited returning August 28.
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On sale June 30; July 6, 10, 17, 24, 25; August 3, 7 and 14, limited returning September 5.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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Effective Tuesday, June 2nd, 1914.

Daily Schedule:

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To Southport, 9 A. M.

Sunday Schedule:

To Carolina Beach, 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M.
To Southport, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.
Returning 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51. * 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford, commencing June 15. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. ! 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. !12:50 P.M.
No. 57. * 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58. * 9:55 A.M.
No. 75. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. *10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. *10:00 A.M.
No. 68. b7:30 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 69. b 10:15 A.M.

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Ar. Columbia, S. C.	12:50 P.M.	10:50 P.M.	.....
Lv. Columbia, S. C., Southern Ry..	1:00 P.M.	11:50 P.M.	.....
Ar. Spartanburg, S. C., Southern Ry	4:10 P.M.	3:45 A.M.	$12.15
Ar. Tryon, N. C., Southern Ry	5:20 P.M.	4:50 A.M.	13.75
Ar. Saluda, N. C., Southern Ry . ..	6:00 P.M.	5:20 A.M.	14.15
Ar. Flat Rock, N. C., Southern Ry..	6:15 P.M.	5:38 A.M.	14.65
Ar. Hendersonville, N. C., So. Ry..	6:30 P.M.	5:50 A.M.	14.70
Ar. Biltmore, N. C., Southern Ry ..	7:15 P.M.	6:45 A.M.	15.15
Ar. Asheville, N. C., Southern Ry..	7:30 P.M.	7:00 A.M.	15.15
Ar. Waynesville, N. C., So. Ry . ..	9:20 P.M.	10:00 A.M.	16.10
Lv. Hendersonville, N. C., So. Ry..	6:40 P.M.	10:05 A.M.	14.70
Ar. Brevard, N. C., Southern Ry . .	7:41 P.M.	11:19 A.M.	15.15
Ar. Lake Toxaway, N. C., So. Ry...	8:45 P.M.	12:20 P.M.	15.75

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THE OBJECT OF EDUCATION

Able Discourse at St. Paul's Lutheran Church by President Morehead Yesterday Morning.

"The object of education in the sense in which the church fosters it, is the production of a trained force of men and women both for the pulpit and for the pew," said Rev. Dr. J. A. Morehead, president of Roanoke College, Salem, Va., in an able discourse on Christian education at St. Paul's Lutheran church yesterday morning. Dr. Morehead made an earnest plea that parents shall be careful to see that their children are educated under Christian influences, and at no time, said he, is this more important than when they are just entering upon the adult stage of life.

He used as the basis of his remarkably clear exposition of the view of the Church towards education second Timothy, 3:13-16. He was heard by a large congregation and the address made a profound impression. Without affectation and without the use of high sounding phrases, he explained clearly and succinctly the reasons for inculcating into the minds and hearts of the young those principles of righteousness that are so necessary to a successful life. Intellectual training and power are necessary, he said, for success, but character is more important.

An Inspiring Example.

In beginning his address, he said he was glad to be able as president of the United Synod of the South to bear witness to the splendid work which the congregation of St. Paul's is doing.

This church is doing a great work, he declared, not only for the North Carolina Synod, but its influence is also felt throughout the entire South. Its activities are a source of encouragement to all the churches within the bounds of the Synod of the South, he said.

The foundation of everything in the Church, he stated, must be the preaching of the word of God and the administration of the sacraments. In its foreign and home mission work and in Christian education it is simply carrying out this fundamental aim, which in the final analysis must always be the dominating purpose.

"Those who are conversant with the situation realize that there is no more essential work than that of education," the speaker continued, "and in a peculiar sese the Lutheran Church has always been educational. It was born in a university and its founder was a doctor and professor of the Holy Word. From that day until this, education has always received its proper emphasis by the members of this church.

Believes in State Education.

"In our modern days the State has undertaken to achieve the function of higher education. For my part, I believe the State has a right to do this. In a democracy certainly the State should in the earlier stages of education undertake to place within the reach of all the people the opportunity to obtain the rudiments of knowledge. And in training men and women for the different professions the means and resources required are so great that it is better that the State should undertake to furnish this training. By taxation, it is possible for all to join hands in furnishing the means for supplying training for the young."

Continuing, Dr. Morehead explained that the Church has always been the home of learning and, especially, said he, is this true in Germany. Has the time come in America, he inquired, when the church shall give over to the State this right, which has been recognized as a part of her work for centuries. "For my own part," he declared, "I do not believe that there is any conflict between the Church and State in this line."

Christian education begins at the mother's knee, he stated, and continues through the Sunday school, in the church and in the different influences under which the child is thrown.

"When he goes away to college, when he is confronted with the many vexing problems that every normal young man or woman must face, such as the destiny of man, the relation of God to man, the world to come and the immortality of the sould," he continued, "shall the hand of the church be withdrawn, shall the Bible be excluded and shall the arm of faith be taken away? Shall the Church be able to insure the moral and religious development of her sons and daughters by this means? I do not believe that she can."

Church Must Train Her Leaders.

Quoting from President Wilson's New Freedom, where he has said that no generation has properly discharged its duty unless it shall make sure that the next generation shall have trained men and women to take charge of its affairs so that they may be in safe and competent hands, the speaker applied this to the Church and declared that he did not believe that she can do this except throught the Christian college.

"The State, in its essence, is without religion," the speaker continued, "because of the separation of Church and State, and the State schools and universities must of necessity partake of the same nature. The saving salt must therefore be to have men on the faculties that are Christian. But the university of itself cannot be a positive force for Christianity."

The speaker was careful to explain that he did not mean to criticise the universities. However, he deplored the fact that in many of them there are professors that are agnostics and skeptics. In his own State, he said, he knew that there are at least two members of the faculty of the State university who because of their beliefs have had a tendency to tear down the principles of the Christian religion.

The central force and power in Christian education in the home and in the church must be the same in the Christian college, the speaker said, and that cannot be better expressed than in the words of the text: "But abide thou in the things which thou hast learned and has been assured of knowing of whom thou hast learned them." There is no education that is sound, that is Christian, unless the dominant factor is the word of God.

Bible a Necessary Part.

Dr. Morehead expressed it as his opinion that no education is complete without a study of God's word. He did not believe that the human mind can be fr... and brought into the fulln... th except as it is revealed ... "If there is not in the c... y a course in the Bible" ... not the students conclud... unimportant? But if in the ... in the chapel and in all t... life the example of Christi... eld up as the highest ide... he not be impressed wit... nce?"

He d... he would be unwilling to allow any son of his to be taught by any except a Christian teacher during that period of life when the great problems of time and eternity have to be settled.

If the Church finds it necessary to provide for the production of trained men and women, said he, she dare not offer to her sons and daughters that which is inferior to that the State offers. He paid a fine tribute to the sturdy stability of the manhood of German and other Northern races.

Starting with good material, he said, they have added to this by education and training. But not alone has intellectual power been developed, but to this has also been added character.

College of Recognized Standing.

By request of the pastor of the church, the speaker stated that he was glad to mention the fact that Roanoke College had been placed on the same standing by the United States government as the University of North Carolina. He was also glad to state that the Episcopal Church of Virginia, which has no college of its own, after looking over the other colleges of the State, had decided to send its ministerial students to Roanoke.

The demand of the day, he declared, is for Christian men and in the different trades and occupations of life as well as of the professions. The essence of education is the power to think but there is something more powerful than this, and that is character force. It is the latter for which the world is calling today, he said, as never before. He was glad to be able to say that the Church colleges were responding nobly to this need.

In conclusion, he painted a beautiful word picture of a scene as he leftt Hampton Roads in a boat for Washington during the progress of the Jamestown Exposition. Night was coming on, and it was indeed an impressive scene, he said, as the ship put out to sea as the lights from the cities of Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News in the distance and the illuminated battleships in the harbor shone in the distance. Gradually they faded away and all around was darkness, with no noise except that of the screw that plowed through the great deep and the sob of the night sea. Then there came to him with great force, he said, the immortal poem of Tennyson, "Crossing the Bar." He urged his hearers that they should so live that after life's fitful fever, when they put out to sea for the voyage to the great eternity that "there may be no sadness of farewell."

One-Step Contest Tonight
Starts at 9:15. Sterling silver cup for prize.—Advertisement.

TWO DROWNED IN CAPE FEAR

Negro Man Loses Life off Point Peter and Boy Drowns at Hilton—One Body.

The muddy waters of the Cape Fear river claimed a toll of two lives Saturday afternoon, Abraham Bryant, a negro from the Indian Creek, section, losing his life when his boat capsized off Point Peter early in the afternoon and a small colored boy named Haynes, about eight years of age, drowning later in the afternoon when he fell from a pile of lumber into the river at the Plant of the Hilton Lumber Company.

The Haynes boy's body was recovered yesterday afternoon, and turned over to Alex Davis, the colored undertaker, who prepared it for burial, but so far Bryant's body has not yet been recovered, though the river has been thoroughly dragged in the vicinity of the wrowning.

Bryant, who lives on Indian Creek, about eight miles up the Cape Fear, had been to the city to purchase a supply of groceries, and was headed back home at the time of the accident. It was said that he had obtained some whiskey in the city, and was consderably under its influence. When he was almost off Point Peter, his boat was seen to capsize, evidently because he lost his balance and leaned too far to one side. He appeared to sink immediately, and when those who had witnessed the accident reached the spot nothing was to be seen of him.

Bryant was about 38 years of age, and is survived by a wife and several children. The river was dragged Saturday afternoon and yesterday, but his body was not located. It has probably washed down the river, and may eventually be recovered some distance below the city.

The Haynes boy was playing on a pile of lumber on the waterfront near the plant of the Hilton Lumber Company Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock, when he lost his balance and fell into the river, sinking before help could reach him.

The body was recovered yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock, almost at the spot where the boy drowned. Clay Ward, colored, who was one of a party dragging the river, recovered the body. Coroner J. J. Fowler was notified, but did not deem an inquest necessery.

After it had been prepared for burial it was turned over to the boy's mother, who lives at Eighth and Brunswick streets.

UNCLE SAM WANTS HELP.

Notice of Examinations for Positions Requiring Technical Ability

The Civil Service Commission announces several examinations to be held soon for positions requiring men and women who have had technical training. All of these position pay good salaries. Those wishing further information should address the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C., or the secretary of the Civil Service Board at Wilmington. Following are the dates, the kind of examinations to be held, and the salaries paid:

July 22—Investigator in poultry and egg handling (male,) $1,200 to $1,800. Mechanical daftsman for the Panama canal service, male, salary $1,500 to $1,800.

August 3—Assistant engineer of mine tests, male, salary from $1,800 to $2,400. No general examination but applicant will be graded on general and professional experience. Organic chemist, male, salary from $1,800 to $2,400. Grading according to general and professional experience.

August 5—Teacher of housekeeping, female, salary $600 to $720; laboratory apprentice, male, $480 to $540; junior zoologist, male, $1,400; physician, male and female, $1,000 to $1,800; heating and ventilating engineer, male, $1,800.

August 10—Expert on Sanitation, male and female, $2,800. Applicants will be graded according to general and professional experience.

ADDRESS TO BARACA CLASS

Mr. A. B. Saleeby, of Salisbury, Tells How to Get Men Into Classes and Keep Them.

An inspiring and helpful address was made to the members of the Baraca class of the First Baptist church by Mr. A. B. Saleeby, the well known Baraca worker and business man of Salisbury, yesterday afternoon at five o'clock in the Sunday school room of the church. There was not a large audience unfortunately but those who came received a message that they will not soon forget. Besides the men there were a number of ladies present.

Mr. Saleeby was introduced by Mr. Chas. B. Newcomb, who told something of the splendid work that he has done in the Baraca movement in this State.

Mr. Saleeby's message came with particular force because it was straight from the heart. It was not idle talk, indeed nothing that he does is simply for the purpose of passing time. He works from early morning until late at night, not only at his business but for his Lord as well. He made an earnest plea that his hearers would work at their religion seven days in the week. It pays, he said, and the smile that came to his face showed that he knew whereof he spoke.

He told of the wonderful growth of the Baraca and Philathea movement in this State which in ten years has enlisted 60,000 members in its classes. North Carolina is now at the head of the list in the United States, said he, and the movement has just begun. He did not state, but it is a fact nevertheless that he has had much to do in bringing about this growth.

How to get men interested in the Baraca work was the special topic assigned the speaker. He showed how they do it in Salisbury. They have several kinds of cards, one to give the man who is not a member of a class, one to the man who is away by sickness and another for the one who may become indifferent. Perseverance was given as the most important rule for getting men into the classes. Mr. Saleeby told of his experiences, how he goes into the hotels with his cards, how he meets men on the streets; in fact, wherever he finds a man he sees in him a possible Baraca member.

"After once he is in the class," said Mr. Saleeby, "put him to work. Keep him busy and you can't get him out. The best way to get rid of a kicker, is to load him down with duties and then he will stop."

By personal experience and also by other illustrations Mr. Saleeby explained how it has well been worth all the effort that he has put forth to get men interested in the Baraca work and frequently by that means also in the work of the church.

FUNERAL OF CAPTAIN CRAIG.

Services Held From Grace Methodist Church Yesterday Afternoon.

Attended by many friends from the city and elsewhere, the funeral of Capt. James William Craig, who died at his residence in Wilmington Saturday afternoon, was conducted from Grace Methodist church yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Bundy, assisted by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church. Captain Craig had for a number of years been a member of this church and previous to that time had been affiliated with other Methodist denominations in this city. He was an ordained local minister of the Methodist church and was one of the founders and the first pastor of Trinity church.

Mr. Bundy paid a beautiful tribute to his consecrated life and to the splendid service which he rendered as a preacher and as a layman. Dr. McClure, for many years a devoted friend, in his prayer spoke affectionately and tenderly of his departed friend.

Following the impressive service at the church the remains were borne tenderly to Oakdale cemetery for interment. The Acme Quartette sang several selections at the grave. There were many beautiful floral tributes, the grave being banked with these.

His life was blameless and there was no man in the city who had more completely won the confidence and esteem of the citizens than he. In honor of a brave and noble comrade, who while he lived piloted many a ship safely and because of his carefulness and devotion to duty never had an accident, the foreign ships and schooners in port yesterday, had their flags at half mast.

The pallbearers were: Honorary, Messrs. W. H. Sprunt, A. H. Hardy, F. E. Hashagen and Capt. E. D. Williams; active, Capt. L. J. Pepper, of Southport; Mr. Walter Smallbones, Capt. J. J. Adkins and Capt. William St. George, of Southport; Capt. L. D. Potter and Mr. H. M. Foard.

NEW COMET DISCOVERED.

First Seen in Southern Skies But May Be Seen Here Later.

Those interested in the fascinating science of astronomy will read the following from the New York Herald of recent date with much interest:

"The interesting comet discovered in the southern skies last December by Prof. Paul T. Delavan, of the Argentine Naval Observatory, has recently become considerably brighter. While it is at present too near the sun to be observed distinctly, it promises to come quite clearly within the field of telescopic vision in a few weeks. Hopes are entertained by some astronomers that it will become a naked eye object before it begins to recede from the sun. Whether it becomes conspicuous enough to be seen without a telescope is still somewhat uncertain, but it seems likely that star gazers who have glasses of moderate power will soon be able to pick up the celestial visitor during the early morning hours in the neighborhood of the constellation Auriga.

—A squad of officers was called to the home of Mr. Louis Tindall, on the Castle Haynes road, just beyond Moore's brickyard, last night about 9 o'clock, when, according to the report, several negroes attempted to enter the house while most of the memb... the family were away atte... ng church. The door was locked and the negroes left when the police were telephoned for.

—Mrs. W. A. Leggett, Miss Leon Leggett and Mr. P. Leggett, of Fairmont, were among yesterday's guests at The Orton.

NEED OF LARGER FAITH

Rev. Thos. P. Noe Makes Earnest Plea That Christians Undertake Greater Tasks.

The need of a larger faith and of a greater vision of service for the Master were emphasized in a most helpful sermon last evening at the Church of the Good Shepherd by the rector, Rev. Thos. P. Noe. He read a portion of the fifth chapter of Luke in which is given an account of how Simon Peter and his companions had fished all night and had caught nothing. When Christ came along He bid Peter launch out into the deep and cast his net. The result was a great multitude of fishes were caught.

The act of Peter in obeying the command of the Master to launch out into the deep was not only an act of faith, but it was also an act of willing obedience, the speaker explained. There was no reason why he should have obeyed Christ, viewed from a worldly standpoint, because they had fished all night and had caught nothing. And it should be remembered that Peter was a seasoned fisherman and Christ had never been a fisherman. However, Peter was willing to let down the net as he had been commanded because it was from his Lord. This makes it an inspiring act of faith and one worthy of serious consideration, said Mr. Noe.

Continuing Mr. Noe showed how easy it is to do the things that promise rewards. But when seemingly there is no reward in sight it becomes an irksome task and most men will not undertake it, even though God may command them to do so. The willingness of Peter, said the speaker, showed the real quality of his character. The result was a new revelation of Christ and of His power.

When the fishermen had fished the whole night without any success, the speaker continued, they were simply using their own judgment and were acting according to their own experience. But when Christ came they were working with the Master of life.

The speaker used the incident to show how in moral and spiritual matters it is particularly true that within ourselves we can do but little and cannot make much headway. We spend weary days and months in a losing fight because it of necessity must be a failing fight in which God is not engaged.

"It will make all the difference in your life and mine," said the speaker, "whether we are living in our own strength or whether we have the Master to help us. The first thing is to feel the need of His help. In no other way can we secure it."

The reason so many do not realize their need of Christ is because they do not think of large tasks but are willing to undertake small things. They do not care to do those things that tax their ability. But when a life is lived on that broad basis that the Master would have it the need of His help is readily apparent.

Simply to be as good as the neighbor around the corner is not enough, he stated, for it may be that we are already as good as he and it may easily happen that we are better. But the ideal of every human life should be to do one's best. That cannot be done without God's help.

In conclusion, the speaker made an urgent plea that his hearers would make their lives so big, so splendid and so full of aspiration for the higher and better things of life that it would require God's help to bring them to that perfection that He would have them become. "No longer be content to be on the shallow ground," he urged, "but launch out into the deep as Peter did and we can be sure that we shall reap a rich reward, even as he did."

FUNERAL OF MR. DAVID.

Services From Residence of Daughter in This City Yesterday.

The funeral of Mr. Abram David, whose death occurred at his summer home on Wrightsville Beach Saturday morning, was conducted yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Marcus W. Jacobi, No. 302 North Third street, by Rev. Dr. S. Mendelsohn, rabbi of the Temple of Israel, of which the deceased was a devoted and faithful member. The services were attended by many friends from the city and elsewhere. For 50 years Mr. David had resided in Wilmington and was well known to hundreds of people, not only here but throughout the State.

Following the impressive services at the home remains were borne tenderly to Oakdale cemetery for interment. Many beautiful floral designs attested the love and esteem in which he was held by those who knew him.

The pallbearers were: Honorary, Dr. R. H. Bellamy and Dr. A. H. Harriss; active, Messrs. Jake Weil, L. Bluethenthal, Joe N. Jacobi, E. D. Williams, James LeGrand, C. L. Meister, S. Solomon and M. Roseman.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Receipts and Disbursements of Associated Charities.

The report of the treasurer of the Associated Charities for the month of June is as follows:

Receipts; New Hanover county, $200; Mr. C. C. Covington, $10; Mr. Jos. H. Watters, $10; Pearsall & Company, $10; Alex. Sprunt & Son, $50; Hall & Pearsall, $10; C. W. Yates & Co., $5; McNair & Pearsall, $15; Mr. A. D. Brown, $5; J. H. Rehder & Company, $10; Thomas Grocery Company, $5; N. Jacobi Hardware Company, $5; unknown friend, $1; Mrs. Alice Everett, $1; Ahrens Bros., $5; Mrs. W., $2; The Worth Company, $5.

Disbursements: Secretary's salary, $33.34; Katherine Kennedy Home, $12.50; groceries, $186; rents for those in need, $18.50; cash help, $6; telephone, $2.33; printing, $29.40; railroad fare, $3.85; shoes, $1.50; postage, $2.28.

MR. McCORMICK RETURNS.

Attended Rate Hearing in Asheville the Past Week—Was Witness.

Mr. J. G. McCormick returned yesterday morning from Asheville where he attended the hearing before the commission appointed to make such adjustments as are necessary in the Justice Intra-State freight rate bill. Mr. McCormick was put on the stand as one of the witnesses. His testimony dealth largely with rates on fertilizers, although he touched on several other matters.

Much of the testimony was purely technical and as such of little interest to the general public. Among the witnesses who gave testimony largely from the standpoint of laymen were Messrs. McCormick, of this city, and Creighton, of Charlotte.

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ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

Negro Arrested by Police on Charge of Holding Up White Man.

William McNeal, a negro, is in the city prison on a charge of attempt to commit highway robbery. The principal witness against him is Hester Carr, colored, who says that she saw him and another negro when they attempted to hold up W. F. Coleman, white, who lives on South Sixth street, in the northern part of the city, between the Worth Oil Mill and the Wynnewood Lumber Company plant Saturday night about 10 o'clock.

Coleman called up the police about 11 o'clock Saturday night and told the night sergeant that two negroes had attempted to hold him up but that he bluffed them off. Officers B. W. Jacobs and Frank George, of the "strong arm" squad, were detailed to make an investigation. They found the woman and after she had made her statement arrested McNeal about two o'clock yesterday morning and brought him to the police station. He is a young negro and has a reputation for honesty. He stoutly denies his guilt and says that he knows nothing about the matter. Coleman in his statement over the 'phone said he would know the negroes if he were to see them, but he had not appeared to identify McNeal at a late hour last night.

Coleman stated that there was another man close behind him whom the two negroes also attempted to rob but failed. He did not know his name, he said, but knew that he was a white man.

MORE THAN 350 VACCINATED.

In Rocky Mount and Spring Hope Against Typhoid Fever.

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 12.—More than 350 persons in Rocky Mount and Spring Hope were the past week given the typhoid vaccination by Nash's whole-time county health officer, Dr. B. E. Washburn. Dr. Washburn was in the city yesterday, and will be here during a portion of the week, and will inoculate any person who cares to take the vaccination as a precaution against typhoid fever.

The serum is being furnished by the State Laboratory of Hygiene, and is being sent to all parts of the State for the use of the people. It costs nothing to be inoculated.

—The Wilmington police were notified over long distance telephone yesterday by the Chief of Police at Mt. Olive to look out for Ed. Williams, a ginger-cake negro, who it was stated stole several suits of clothes from a hotel at that place Saturday night and came to Wilmington on the night train. One of the suits was described as being gray with the name of Jesse Wilson on it. Nothing had been seen of the negro at late hour last night.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shoemaker returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Pennsylvania.

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Mrs. Addison G. Ricaud left last evening for Brooklyn, N. Y., to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Charles Mathews, who died at her home in that city Saturday. Mrs. Mathews was most pleasantly remembered here, having visited Mrs. Ricaud several times. Her friends here are deeply grieved to learn of her death and sympathize tenderly with Mrs. Ricaud and the other bereaved relatives.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Miss Mildred Finlayson is entertaining at a house party at her home on East Boulevard Dilworth. Her guests are Miss Margaret Scott, of St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Margaret Cowles and guest, Miss Mary Horton, of Winston-Salem, Miss Helen Dodson, of Fayetteville, and Miss Florence Taylor, of Wilmington, are expected to arrive the first of the week. Mr. Harold Heath will give a dance in honor of Miss Finlayson and guests Wednesday evening at Riverside Park and Miss Finlayson will entertain at a dance at her home Thursday evening. In addition to these there will be numerous other affairs."

THEATRICAL

Presenting a notable bill of five reels of brand new movies, the popular photoplay house today will inaugurate undoubtedly the biggest week of movies ever seen in Wilmington. For within the space of six days, there will be displayed at The Bijou 31 reels of motion pictures, an average of five reels a day.

Today's bill starts with a mammoth two-reel 101 Bison dramatic special release, "The Old Cobbler," a photoplay that has received notable mention in newspapers in the big cities where it has been shown. The Star of last Sunday week, contained a write-up of this photoplay, with scenes from it. Murdock MacQuarrie, the celebrated emotional and dramatic actor, plays the leading role in this famous photoplay, and is assisted by a notable all-star cast of screen favorites.

A Domino two-reel special release is "The Card Sharps." This is one of the most thrilling dramatic productions of the year, and there is not a dull moment throughout. It contains some of the most thrilling situations and climaxes ever seen in a motion picture. It is a production of William H. Clifford and Thomas H. Ince, both famous photoplaywrights It features such screen stars as Enid Markey and Charles Ray, and many others.

Animated Weekly No. 120 will show big things that are happening throughout the world, the camera man being present anywhere there is an event of international interest pulled off. This is an exceptionally interesting and instructive number.

At The Grand Today.

Verily, this week is going to be the banner one of them all for Wilmington theatre-goers, because their favorite amusement spot, and solid comfort resort, the handsome Grand Theatre has prepared a big feast for every day this week. In addition to a daily new sho wof the latest and best films, Miss Framan, the brilliant Wurlitzer orchestra virtuoso, will render a new and superb programme and play the fascinating incidental music for the pictures. One of the features of the week will he the presentation tomorrow of the noted actor, Bruce McRae, in the equally as noted political romantic drama, "The Ring and the Man."

But today's show is going to be a hummer. The big show today will be headed by Edison's great triumph, "The Southerners," which is a brilliant moving picturization of the noted novel by Cyrus Townsend Brady. The beautiful love story of the novel is vividly retained and the battle scenes are all presented. The fights on the mighty deep are especially thrilling.

In addition to this exceptionally swell offering, the latest Hearst-Selig Pictorial Relew, of current events will be presented. The same old 5 cents admission, afternoon and night, will prevail today.

FAYETTEVILLE HIGHWAY.

Further Particulars of Proposition Submitted to Mr. Godwin.

(Raleigh News and Observer.

Washington, D. C, July 11—Whenever appropriations under the Shackelford road bill become available an effort will be made to secure Federal aid toward constructing a model highway between Wilmington and Fayetteville. No funds are available at present for any road project in the State now that North Carolina has received $40,000 of the experimental fund recently created.

The Fayetteville-Wilmington project was brought to the attention of Representative Godwin this week by a letter to him from J. Bayard Clark, of Elizabethtown. Mr. Godwin will use his influence to get whatever aid he can from the government when the time comes for distribution of funds. Mr. Clark's letter describing the historical interest which would surround the road is as follows:

"I am anxious to know if there is any possibility of getting a portion of the appropriation recently made by the government to aid in building roads for a highway from Fayetteville to Wilmington, passing through Elizabethtown.

"This is the old stage road known, I think, as the King George road. As you know it passes right by the Tory Hole where the historic battle of Elizabethtown was fought, and also right close to Brompton palace where the first governor's mansion was situated, as well as many other historic points, which is not necessary for me to mention now. I am sure the people at Fayetteville and Wilmington would take an active interest in a movement of this kind as well as all the people along the line. Some of the road has already been improved and some of it is now being improved.

"I have not had time to keep close enough in touch with this movement to know what the provisions of the act are, but if you will investigate the matter I will very much appreciate the same, and if there is any chance for such a thing to be done I am sure we will have no trouble in raising our part of the money."

Wrightsville Beach

Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Elizabeth Telfair has returned from Wrightsville Beach where she had been visiting."

Yesterday's arrivals at the Hanover Inn included Dr. J. T. Hoggard, Atkinson; A. W. Jenkins, Fair Bluff; S. R. Lane, Mullins; O. A. Clark, John J. Elks, Grimesland, N. C.; E. T. Herring, New York.

Hundreds of people were in the surf yesterday afternoon, the beach from Lumina north to the Oceanic Hotel being dotted with an almost unbroken line of bathers. The surf was delightful and the day just warm enough to lend an added comfort to a salt plunge.

The special attraction at Lumina tonight will be the One-step contest. The contest will be under the management of Don Richardson. This contest will probably have the greatest number of entries of any of the contests that have been given at Lumina this season. A sterling silver cup will be given as a prize to the couple winning the contest.

Except the Fourth of July, yesterday broke all records for travel on the suburban line to the beach this season, the total number of passengers handled being over 3,800. Many of these came in on the Sunday excursions, the railroads having handled 1,100 people into the city for the day. About 750 bathers went in the surf from Lumina during the day.

Arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday included Dr. Chas. E. Cheek, D. O. Howard, E. H. Howard and J. Beale Johnson, Fuquay Springs; J. P. Tomlinson, Rocky Mount; M. H. French, Goldsboro; M. J. Pate, Wilson; J. P. Lummus, P. J. Brunner, Charlotte; J. P. Scales, Goldsboro; A. L. Bell, A. L. Bell, Jr., Belhaven; E. W. Buggs, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. S. Weill, Atlanta; F. M. Phillips, Greenville; A. B. Johnson, Durham; Dr. A. S. Mitchell, Winston-Salem; E. W. Whitaker, Durham; Hyman H. Epstein, Goldsboro.

Among the guests arriving yesterday at the Seashore Hotel were E. T. Cansler, Charlotte; E. A. Muldrow, Florence, S. C.; H. D. Devane, New York; E. G. Robertson, Mt Airy; R. L. Gregson, Lumberton; J. E. Sasser, Jacksonville, Fla.; F. Rawls, Clinton; D. M. L. Fields, LaGrange, Ga.; F. S. Bullington, Edwin S. Levy, Richmond; P. C. Garrison, Goldsboro; Mrs. W. A. McPhaul and nurse, Lumberton; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gainey, Fayetteville; Dr. V. H. Mewborn, Washington, N. C.; Mrs. Louise Kaufman, Richmond, Va.; Dr. B. P. Mewborn, Selma; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. McGlown, Atlanta; G. N. Anderson, Augusta, Ga; Leo. Siene, Chattanooga, Tenn.; I. B. Farah and J. Thomas, Goldsboro.

The largest Sunday night audience of the season heard the concert by Don Richardson's orchestra at Lumina last night. It was probably the largest audience that has ever attended a concert at Lumina. There was standing room only, the crowd numbering about one thousand people. While the audience was composed largely of the visitors at the beach there were many Wilmington people there too. The hit of the evening was the violin solo by Don Richardson. His selection was "Westminster Chimes" in which a number of famous old hymns were introduced. Richardson played delightfully and his colo greatly pleased his hearers. "Largo," played by the organ and a string quintete, "In the Shadows," a request number; The Climax overture, were other numbers on the program that were well liked by the audience.

The high water mark of the present season at Wrightsville Beach was reached Saturday and yesterday, when for the first time since the opening, all the hotels and cottages did an S. R. O. business. Every available room was occupied over the week-end. In addition the week-end excursion rates brought in a great number of one-day visitors yesterday and the island was a populous place indeed. And while many of those who visited the beach from Atlanta and points elsewhere in Georgia and Alabama on the six-day excursion tickets left yesterday for their homes, the hotels and cottages were still comfortably filled last night. From now on until the close of the season, according to all indications, the resort will be the mecca of thousands of visitors from points all over the South, and the hotels, cottages and boarding houses expect to do a capacity business.

Yesterday's Charlotte : Observer "Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Keesler and Misses Sarah and Mary Keesler, Mrs. Latta C. Johnston, Miss Mary Johnston and Messrs. Edward Y. Keesler and Rufus M. Johnston, who are spending a week at the Seashore Hotel will return home Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wright and sons, Thomas H. Jr., and Lenoir, have returned home from Wrightsville Beach where they spent a week at th Seashore Hotel. Miss Annie Wilson, who accompanied them, will remain a few days longer with Mrs. A. L. Smith.—Mrs. B. F. Withers and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Bennie Withers, and guests, Miss Martha Hofman, of Springfield, Ohio, who expected to leave yesterday for Wrightsville Beach, have had to postpone their trip on account of the illness of Mr. Withers, who was taken suddenly sick Friday morning.—Misses Nancy and Mary Shelton, Lila Little of Little's Mills, Rosa Little of Richmond, Va., accompanied by the Misses Little's uncle, Mr. Julian H. Little, will leave Thursday for Wrightsville Beach to spend a week.—Miss Sarah Cansler and guests, Miss Mary Rhodes of Danville, Ky., Miss Annie Dewey Chambers and Miss Miriam Parker, chaperoned by Mrs. E. T. Cansler, left yesterday morning for Wrightsville Beach."

LIST OF CADETSHIPS

For Appointment by North Carolina Senators and Congressmen

(Special Star Telegram)

Washington, D. C., July 12.—The following is a list of cadetships at the United States Military Academy for which candidates are to be appointed on the nomination of senators and representatives for the entrance examination beginning on the last Tuesday in March, 1915: Senator Overman, one; Representative Small, Stedman, Webb, and Gudger, one each.

P. R. A.

FAIR DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH AT SUFFRAGIST MEETING AT NEWPORT

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Newport, R. I., July 12.—The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, and daughter of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, who is visiting her mother here for the first time in several years, has materially aided the cause of woman's suffrage by her address at a meeting of suffragists at Marble House, her mother's handsome home. The fair duchess told of her work for poor working girls of England. She is not a militant. Mrs. Belmont is one of America's ardent suffragists. The meeting was held outside the new Japanese tea house, which Mrs. Belmont has just completed and which is the only thing of its kind in America.

NEWS OF A DAY FROM THE STATE'S CAPITAL

Kentish Guards to Attend Unveiling at Greensboro.

Military Organization to Which General Greene Belonged to be Invited to Guilford Battleground—School Building Fund.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 12.—There has come to Governor Craig a special request for provision to be made for an invitation to go from this State to the officers and men of the Kentish Guards of East Greenwich, R. I., to attend in a body the ceremonies for the unveiling of the equestrian statue of General Nathaniel Greene, to be unveiled later in the present year on the Guilford battle ground, near Greensboro. The request came from Edward A. Graves, lieutenant colonel of the organization, who informed the Governor that the Kentish Guards had been a continuous organization since 1774, and that it was as a member of this company that General Greene received his first military training.

He wrote that he had noticed that the Governor of Rhode Island had been invited to attend the unveiling and he was sure that in view of the facts as to General Greene's relations tto the Kentish Guards, that organization wuold be included very readily. It is understood that steps will be taken to have the Kentish Guards invited.

The invitations that the Governor has heretofore issued were in compliance with provisions of a special act of the 1913 Legislature, which specified certain governors and others to be invited for the unveiling ceremonies.

School Building Loan Fund.

As the State Department of Education the statement is made that the State loan fund that is used in making loans to school districts to aid in the building and improvement of school houses now aggregate about a half million dollars, and it is estimated that, handled as it is on something of a compound interest basis, it will aggregate a million dollars within something like twelve years. The counties have to become responsible for the loans made to districts within the county, so that there are no losses to be incurred through failure to repay the loans.

Furthermore, moneys come in from time to time from the sale of State swamp lands and these funds go to swell the loan fund.

Charters Issued.

A charter has been issued today for The Bank of Pikeville, N. C.; capital, $10,000 authorized and $6,000 subscribed, by Z. I. Perkins, L. D. Crawford and others, for a commercial and savings banking business.

Another charter is for the Lewisville-Yadkinville Telephone Co., of Rural Hall; capital, $3,000 authorized and $400 subscribed, by H. L. Wilson, M. H. Hauser, and others.

University's Outlook Bright.

The executive committee of the trustees of the University of North Carolina in mid-summer session, just held here, disposed of a number of administrative matters brought to their attention by President Graham, who was here for the meeting. He reported six hundred teachers attending the summer school. He declared that the outlook for the fall opening of the University is excellent.

State Health Department Stirred

The State Department of Health is much stirred over the possibility of losing just half of the $8,000 that has formed the basis of maintenance for the work of the division of the laboratory of hygiene for the current legislative biennial period and this same issue is giving the Council of State, Governor Craig and Attorney General Bickett a deal of concern and perplexity as well.

A long conference of the members of the Council of State and the State Health Department officials yesterday failed to finally settle the difficulty. The trouble is that Section 36, Charter 62, Laws of 1911, made a specific appropriation of $4,000 for the laboratory of hygiene along with provision of $18,000 for other work of the Department of Health. Then the 1913 Legislature in the last days of the session through Section 14, Chapter 181, enacted specifically a substitute for section 36 of the 1911 act that specified an appropriation of $26,000 for the Department of Health, specifying $4,000 for the laboratory of hygiene.

Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary, and active head of the Department of Health, held that this was an additional $4,000, making $8,000 for the laboratory, and had Director Shore, of the laboratory, project the work of the laboratory on this basis. At the State Treasury there has to be specific legal authority for each payment of State funds and the issue naturally arose as to the legislative act, whether the 1913 act did not supersede the 1911 act and at the same time leave only $4,000 appropriated. Treasurer Lacy put the matter up to Attorney General Bickett, who did not pass on the actual legality of the $8,000 construction but expressed the view that the health work being of such very great importance, the full $8,000 should be provided "whether of no." Treasurer Lacy and members of the Council of State taking his view of the matter insisted that he was as anxious to promote the health work as any but that law was law and if he had legal right to pay the extra $4,000 he would do it, otherwise he would not. Dr. Rankin became much stirred up over the danger of having his construction turned down and the $4,000 "fade away." This was the situation when the Council of State thrashed out the matter yesterday. Attorney General Bickett, who is in Asheville, was appealed to by long distance telephone and otherwise to give positive ruling that the $4,000 could be legally paid instead of merely that it was for such an important cause that most liberal interpretation should bring about payment. He has not yet ruled and the matter is still in the air.

SEARCH WARRANT USED WITH TELLING EFFECT.

Wilson Chief Finds 81 Bottles Beer—38 Warrants Issued.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., July 12.—Chief of Police Wiggs used the search warrant with telling effect Saturday when he discovered 81 bottles of beer at what is known as "Armstrong's Market," a shop in the north end of town and conducted by Lonnie Moore. The chief found 21 bottles on ice and ready for purchasers. For sometime rumors have been heard that liquor was being sold in that section and after watching the place for several days Chief Wiggs decided to use the search and seizure law with the result as noted. Mr. Wiggs states that he has good evidence against other places and is waiting to catch them with the goods.

Working along the line of better sanitation Chief Wiggs issued warrants yesterday against 38 additional property owners for violation of the sanitary ordinance and Mayor Dickinson will hear the cases against 60 violators when court meets Monday.

In the section around Elm City much millet was planted this year and farmers from that part of the county report the crop damaged by the army worm which has appeared in considerble numbers. Some of the farmers are plowing the millet under and will plant corn in the effort to kill out the worm.

The July meeting of the City Union of the Baraca and Philathea Bible classes will be held Monday night with the classes at the Lodge Street mission. An interesting programme han been arranged.

The Wilson Boy Scouts are in camp at Barnes Mill and send in reports of a happy time. This afternoon Rev. T. W. Chambliss conducted religious service at the camp by request of the scouts.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. John Rowe, the well known traveling man, is here for a few days on a business trip.

—Dr. J. T. Hoggard, of Atkinson, was among the week-end arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. R. T. Windley, who has been in New York for some time, has returned. His friends will be glad to know that he will probably locate here again.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were D. D. Sparkman, Burgaw; L. W. Boney, Wallace; G. L. Edgerton, Goldsboro; B. F. Rogers and R. E. Powell, of Fair Bluff, N. C.

—Mr. Gaston D. Phares, Jr., left Friday afternoon for Jacksonville, Fla., to spend some time with his parents. He was accompanied by his brother, Mr. Thaddeus Phares, who has been visiting relatives in Wilmington.

—Friends of Mr. Charles Casteen, a merchant at Fifth and Taylor streets, will regret to know that he suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday morning at 1 o'clock. Last night he had not regained consciousness and his symptoms are not encouraging.

—Police Sergeant "Woody" Howell leaves this morning for his annual ten days' vacation which he will spend in Norfolk, Washington and Baltimore. Officers J. O. Bullard and T. M. Hall, of the force, are also off for their vacations this week.

—Mr. Paul Caase, in a letter from on board the S. S. Imperator, sends greetings under date of June 29, to his Wilmington friends. He encloses copies of the daily news bulletins printed from wireless dispatches on the ship, these being printed both in English and German for the benefit of all. He will spend several months abroad.

—Rosie Lowe, colored, was arrested last night on a charge of disorderly conduct by Plainclothesman Leon George.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HENRY CLEWS OPTIMISTIC

Happenings of a Week on the Whole of a Favorable Character—July Crop Report Encouraging.

New York, July 12.—The happenings of the week have upon the whole been of a favorable character. The most encouraging development was the July crop report of the Department of Agriculture. This report indicates a crop of fully 930,000,000 bushels of wheat, against 760,000,000 bushels a year ago; a crop of 2,868,000,000 bushels of corn, as against 2,446,000,000 bushels a year ago; a crop of oats of 1,200,000,000 bushels, compared with 1,122,000,000 bushels a year ago. The estimated farm value of the wheat crop is placed at $700,000,000; corn over $2,000,000,000, and oats over $400,000,000. These amounts of course, represent only a portion of the total agricultural products of the country, which this year are expected to reach a value of fully $10,000,000,000.

The creation of so large an amount of new wealth must inevitably have a stimulating effect upon general business. This fact is particularly realized in the western or agricultural States, where the feeling is universally optimistic. Western railroads are busily preparing to handle the vast traffic which this will create; and there is already a pleasing diminution in the number of idle cars, which decreased more than 20,000 during the month of June. There remains a heavy surplus of idle equipment amounting to 200,000 cars, but this will probably be materially reduced within the next few weeks. There is also some improvement in the steel trade, resulting from a freer placing of orders for rolling stock, although that industry is still in a very depressed condition. In the building trade there is a partial resumption of activity following the late acute reaction. The June record of failures shows a decrease in number, and there would have been a satisfactory reduction of the liabilities had it not been for the Claflin failure, which is still an adverse element in the dry goods situation. Prices have been unsettled, and a public sale has been ordered; but July is usually a month for clearing sales in the dry goods trade; so this tendency should not be regarded too seriously. The dry goods trade is, of course, feeling the effects of general depression at the distributing end, and high prices for raw material and labor at the manufacturer's end. An added element of uncertainty is the new tariff, which is admitting woolen fabrics and fancy cotton goods much more freely than when it first went into operation. The steel trade thus far has not been materially affected by the new duties. The country already exports far more steel products than it imports, and is not in any serious danger from the new schedule; although lower prices abroad would probably admit moderate quantities of certain products in the seaboard markets of the United States.

The Mexican problem is rapidly disappearing as a stock market influence, the probability of American intervention having almost reached the vanishing point. Huerta is evidently weary of playing a losing game; and, if all reports be true, the prospects are for early peace in that unhappy country. Conditions in Northern Mexico are much more settled, and it is significant that the American Smelting and Refining Co., is about to open its plants in that section. This market has not yet adequately responded to our escape from the Mexican danger. Should a satisfactory settlement follow the present peace efforts, a highly important era of reconstruction and new development will ensue in Mexico. This will afford relief where financial strain has been greatest, and in due season there will undoubtedly be a rush of new enterprises for development of the vast and rich resources of that portion of this continent.

One of the most encouraging developments of the week was the frank change of attitude by President Wilson toward big business. The President's courageous announcement of his belief that "the vast majority of men connected with what we have come to call big business are honest, incorruptible and patriotic," is a welcome acknowledgement of what every sane, intelligent and fair-minded business man knows to be true. There are rogues in every profession and big business has not been free of its misdeeds and unsound policies. The silly assumption, however, that every successful business man is a "malefactor," an assumption which has been very popular with a certain class of people, has done great harm to the country; and Mr. Wilson has performed a distinct national service by contradicting this popular obsession. Thus far the stock market has been slow to respond to these favorable influences. The disposition appears to be to hold the delay of the Inter-State Commerce Commission responsible. Unquestionably that is an important factor, but its importance is probably over-estimated. It is doubtful if the commission will grant the full request of the railroads. A compromised verdict is most likely. This would not be a very powerful stimulant to the railroads. The latter in all probability will benefit much more from big crops and business improvement than from any concession which they are likely to obtain from the commission, while the effect from a moderately favorable decision would be quickly over; nevertheless our railroad managers would undoubtedly feel better could they be assured of a more judicial attitude on the part of the commissioners toward the transportation interests of this country.

The main reason for stock market inertia has been lack of confidence, and this lack of confidence must be primarily attributed to the industrial and financial reaction which started with the Balkan war and has spread over the entier world. This is the prime cause of present conditions which our politicians have aggravated rather than softened. The world-wide trade reaction is proved by the accumulation of the idle funds in all the principal money markets of the world, where there has been the same lack of confidence as in the United States. It remains to be seen how far cheap money, good crops and western optimism will counteract idle mills and eastern pessimists. All indications point to a coming turn for the better. This market has been thoroughly liquidated, and a fair recovery is justified by the more favorable tenor of recent events; not to speak of the ample discounting of unfavorable events which has already taken place.

With such weak stocks as Missouri Pacific, Denver, New Haven and Chesapeake & Ohio it was only natural that the balance of the list should display hesitation. Indeed, it is surprising that the market showed such sustaining power. The almost total eclipse of Rock Island, San Francisco, Missouri Pacific and Denver security values would, under ordinary circumstances, be sufficient to create a panic. It must be believed, therefore, that the present is no ordinary occasion. Notwithstanding these eruptions, holders of standard securities refuse to be frightened, and patiently cling to their belongings in the belief that sooner or later they are bound to improve on investment buying.

The disposition of the president to consult large business interests is, if continued, likely to produce important results. There is no question that all sections of the nation are beginning to feel that there has now been enough antagonism against big business and corporate interests, and there is no doubt that if the country were left to its own resources for a reasonable time general confidence and prosperity would be restored—"a consummation devoutly to be wished."

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 46.

ROSIN—Steady, 3.60.

TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.50 per barrel for hard; 3.50 per barrel for dip; 3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits 35½; rosin, 4.00; tar, 2.20; crude turpentine, 3.00, 3.00, 2.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 5
Rosin ..... (—)
Tar ..... (—)
Crude Turpentine 2
Receipts same day last year — Spirits (—) barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, (—); middling, nominal; last year, nominal.

Receipts, (—) bales; same day last year, 13 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 398,858 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 317,367 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 11.

Atlantic Coast Line—5 casks spirits turpentine; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—5 casks spirits turpentine; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

One-Step Contest Tonight

Starts at 9:15. Sterling silver cup for prize.—Advertisement.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

Stock Market Maintained its Mood of Doubt and Hesitation Last Week.

New York, July 12.—The stock market maintained its mood of doubt and hesitation last week, influenced by confiding factors. The government's July crop estimates were supplemented by good weather conditions since that date. The firm undertone of speculation for most of the week was due mostly to that case. Expectancy of the rate decision was a constant constraint.

Importance was attached to the forty fold application for the French loan. Applications unfilled may be said to measure of resources of investment demand for future capital issues. The drawback was in political rumblings in Eastern Europe, and also in trade depression abroad.

Quick sale of the Northern Pacific bonds offerings and movements in old syndicate holdings of some other bonds marked better turn in investment conditions here. On the other hand, large July maturities of short term notes kept call money rates stiffer.

President Wilson's friendly professions for big business and conferences at the White House over the trust bills were a market subject, but Wall street sentiment was sensitive as to the course of the Senate on Federal Reserve Board nominees.

Steel reports were better. Copper statistics however, were unfavorable.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., July 10.—Spanish—Farmerss' Spanish, steady at $1.25 per bushel.

Virginias—Jumbo, ¾ to 4½c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¾ to 4c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3¼ to 3¾c. per lb. Prime, 3½ to 3¾c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 3 to 3½c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., July 11.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market, steady; receipts, light; fancy hand picked, 90c.; No. 1, machine picked, 85c. Fancy hand-picked, Virginias—Steady. Fancy hand-picked, $1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 95c. per bushel.

Spanish—Steady, $1.25 per bushel.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 11, 1914.)

CORN—$2.00 to $2.05 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $2.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, no sale.

WOOL—Burry 12 to 15c. per lb.; free, 20c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—20c. per dozen; may go higher.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

Jamestown, N. Y., July 11.—Four hotels at Celeron, a Chautauqua Lake summer resort, were raided today and 15,000 bottles of beer and a large quantity of liquors seized. Celeron is a "dry" town. The beer and liquor seized filled the village lock-up, the village hall and a considerable section of a hotel which was used for storage purposes.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 13, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M., 89 degrees; maximum, 91 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.04 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 6.7 feet.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for North Carolina: Probably fair Monday and Tuesday.

The Port Calendar, July 12, 1914.

Sun rises ..... 5:10 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 7:23 P. M.
Day's length ..... 14 hrs. 15 min.

THE TIDES

	High Water A.M.	High Water P.M.	Low Water A.M.	Low Water P.M.
Wilmington	1:48	2:18	9:12	9:39
Southport	1:48	2:18	9:12	9:39
Masonboro Inlet	11:40	11:46	5:50	6:10

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 12, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	94		.0
Asheville	clear	88	62	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	94	70	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	94	70	.0
Birmingham	clear	94	72	.0
Boston	pt cldy	78		.04
Charleston	clear	90	74	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	96	70	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	92		.0
Galveston	cloudy	90	78	.0
Jacksonville	clear	88	74	.0
Memphis	clear	96		.0
Mobile	cloudy	86	76	.01
Montgomery	pt cldy	94	72	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	86	74	.12
New York	cloudy	88		.32
Oklahoma	clear	98		.0
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburgh	cloudy	94		.0
Raleigh	clear	94	72	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	94	72	.0
Shreveport	clear	94		.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	100		.0
Washington	pt cldy	92		.0

NEW ORLEANS COTTON REVIEW.

Fluctuations During the Past Week Within Narrow Limits.

New Orleans, July 12.—Fluctuations in the cotton market the past week were within narrow limits. The net charge was a gain of 9 to 17 points. Conflicting crop accounts made traders on both sides of the market nervous. During the greater part of the week sentiment was more bearish than bullish and bulls charged that the market was oversold.

Selling toward the end of the week was based on the idea that the condition of the crop was better than on July 15th, date of the last condition report, as a result of scattered showers in the Central and Eastern belts.

This next week, the market will be as much of a weather affair as ever but around the beginning some interest will be taken from crop news by the government's report of consumption by the mills of this country during June. This report is expected Tuesday morning and bears hope it will shoy a falling off compared with the same month last year. They base this on the poor trade reports that have been coming from mill centers of late.

UNFAVORABLE TYPHOID REPORT.

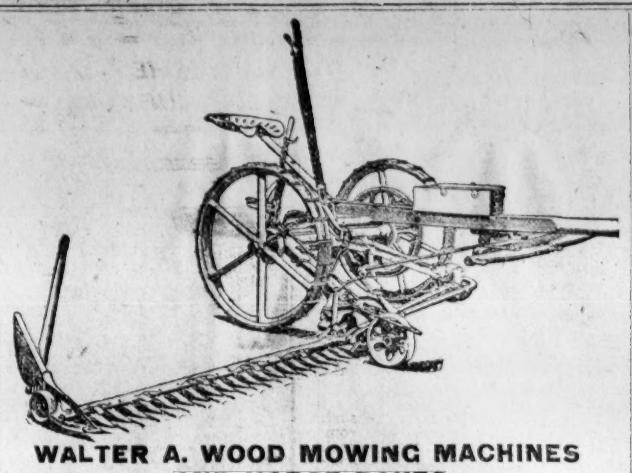
State of Virginia Has Worst Record of Any in Union, Says Report.

Washington, July 11.—Virginia had a more unfavorable typhoid fever report than any other State in 1913, according to a statement today by the public health service, giving statistics reported to that service by State health officers. In Virginia there were 5,968 cases of typhoid reported, which is 2.803 cases to every 1,000 population, the highest ratio shown. South Dakota showed the best record, with only 143 cases, or .222 cases to every 1,000 inhabitants.

WHERE MRS. CARMAN, ACCUSED OF MURDER, IS HELD; HER YOUNG DAUGHTER; THE VICTIM'S HUSBAND, AND THE PRINCIPAL WITNESS

1-ELWOOD T-BARDES -- 2-ELIZABETH CARMAN, DAUGHTER OF ACCUSED DOCTOR'S WIFE -- 3-W.D.BAILEY, HUSBAND OF VICTIM -- 4-NASSAU COUNTY JAIL, NEW YORK, WHERE MRS. CARMAN IS CONFINED -- PHOTOS © 1914 BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Freeport, N. Y., July 10.—Mrs. Edwin Carman, wife of Dr. Carman, will be arraigned for her preliminary hearing on Monday, July 13, for the murder of Mrs. William D. Bailey in Dr. Carman's office on June 31. Mrs. Carman, the statuesque and handsome wife who admitted that she was so suspicious of her husband that she installed a dictograph in his office so she could overhear what was going on when he had women patients, is held in the Nassau county jail at Mineola. She denies the charge an d says that she can clear herself. The testimony of Elwood T. Bardes, an insurance agent, before the coroner, resulted in Mrs. Carman's arrest, although she had been practically the only one suspected for several days.



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at Close of Business June 30, 1914.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$209,774.83	Capital	$ 50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,806.54	Undivided Profits	4,540.83
Real Estate	12,060.00	Deposits	180,204.64
Cash on hand and due from Banks	11,987.77	Cashier's checks outstanding	883.67
Total	$235,629.14	Total	$235,629.14

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First—A lot beginning at Southwest intersection of Market and Eleventh streets; runs West with Southern line of Market street 66 feet; thence South, parallel with Eleventh street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence East with Northern line of Meadow street 66 feet to Eleventh street; thence North with Western line of Eleventh street 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

Second—A lot beginning in the Southern line of Market street 33 feet East of Eastern line of Tenth street; runs Eastwardly with Southern line at Market street 33 feet; thence South parallel with Tenth street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence West with the Northern line of Meadow street 33 feet; thence North 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

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Effective Friday, June 12, 1914, the present Winston-Salem-Raleigh Pullman Car Line will be changed to Winston-Salem - Beaufort - Morehead City Pullman Car Line for the Summer Season, and will continue in effect until Saturday, August 22, 1914.

For further information, reservations, etc., communicate with

J. O. JONES,
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Raleigh, N. C.

BIDS FOR PURCHASE OF LOT

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock Noon, July 21st, for the purchase of the lot owned by the City on the corner of Sixth and Castle streets now used as an Engine House. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. F. JONES,
Councilman.

PROGRESSIVE ROADS PLATFORM IS ADOPTED

By North Carolina Good Roads Association.

Officers Are Elected—Declares for Working Convicts on Public Roads Instead of Railroads—Highway Commission

Durham, N. C., July 11.—Forty-four counties were represented by 301 delegates in the meeting of the North Carolina Good Roads Association held here this week, which adjourned yesterday, after adopting some important resolutions, reelecting Mr. H. B. Varner, of Lexington, president, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill, secretary, and choosing the following additional officers:

Miss H. M. Berry, Chapel Hill, Assistant secretary.

Jos. G. Brown, Raleigh, treasurer.

D. Tucker Brown, Chapel Hill, direcor.

Vice-presidents—Benehan Cameron Durham; R. A. Doughton, Spar; E. L. Daughtridge, Rocky Mount; Fred Sutton, Kinston; A. H. Eller, Winston-Salem; E. F. Young, Dunn; A. W. Graham, Oxford; J. S. Martin, Chadbourne; John Morehead, Charlotte; F. P. Tate, Morganton.

Executive Committee—H. B. Varner, Lexington; Joseph Hyde Pratt, Chapel Hill; Chas. Wallace, Morehead City; D. A. McDonald, Carthage; R. R. Cotten, Bruce; J. E. Cameron, Kinston; W. C. Hammer, Asheboro.

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Legislative Committee—John C. Drewry, chairman, Wake county; R. T. Grant, Davie county; A. H. Boyden, Rowan; A. Cheatham, Durham; W. C. Hammer, Randolph; D. A. McDonald, James A. Wellons, Johnston; A. W. Graham, Granville county; R. R. Cotten, Pitt county; W. D. McMillan, New Hanover county; Charles Wallace, Carteret county; F. Stikeleather, Buncombe county; P. H. Hanes, Winston-Salem.

Resolutions Adopted.

Among the resolutions adopted was one emphasizing the earnest desire of the Association for a State highway commission; another declaring for the use of convicts of the State on the public roads, and the removal of them from railroad work as soon as the present contracts of the State are completed; another endorsing the Appalachian park and the connecting of it with a series of good roads, so as to make an extensive government park open to the use of the people; another that, in obedience to law, sign posts be placed at cross roads, and that judges and solicitors be requested to see that the law is enforced; another that road officials give consideration to road maintenance and that Federal aid to public and post roads be endorsed; that there be endorsed the suggestion of President E. K. Graham, of the State University, that Governor Craig set aside a "Civic Week," to be used as a means of betterment and uplift of communities.

GEN. HUERTA'S RESIGNATION MAY BE ANNOUNCED

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Huerat until after the latter's unconditional surender.

When Carranza indicated this to the American representative was not stated. It was said, however, that Mr. Silliman was accorded a hearty welcome and exchanged views with General Carranza.

General Carranza today indicated he was confident of reaching Mexico City soon, bringing about peace and securing recognition of foreign governments.

Proposed at Niagara.

New York, July 12.—That the name of Francisco Carbajal, Huerta's new minister of foreign affairs, was proposed at the Niagara Falls mediation coference as provisional president of Mexico, was confirmed here tonight by Emilio Rabaza and Augustin Rodriguez, the Huerta delegates. They declared Carbajal's name was first submitted to the conference by the American delegates and accepted by the Mexican delegates as that of a man who stood neutral between the Huerta government and the Constitutionalists.

To Resign Thursday?

El Paso, Texas, July 12.—Constitutionalist agents here today asserted that they had received word from a secret agent in Mexico that General Huerta would resign Thursday.

The announcement at Vera Cruz of Esteva Ruiz, the former sub-secretary of foreign relations, that Carbajal would be replaced by a provisional president acceptable to the Constitutionalists was received with expressions of doubt. It was pointed out that Esteva Ruiz, acting at the suggestion of Huerta, merely might be testing the feeling of the Constitutionalists toward a provisional president. It was deemed improbable in view of General Carranza's recent statement that he would not consent to the compromise on a provincial president.

As far as was learned here, General Villa's troops have not returned south.

TRUST BILLS NOW HAVE RIGHT OF WAY

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quiry into the financial affairs of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Company, involving many allegations, will come up for hearing before the Inter-State Commerce committee next Wednesday. A number of witnesses, including Joseph Ramsey, former president of the Wabash railroad, have been invited to appear.

The Foreign Affairs committee expects to make another effort this week to dispose of the proposed legislation for regulating the diversion of water from Niagara river for power purposes. An eleventh hour claim of the Seneca Indians to all the rights in the river under the Pickering treaty will be considered.

AS GENERAL PANCHO VILLA APPEARS SINCE THE BATTLE OF ZACATECAS

LATEST PHOTO of General VILLA
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This striking picture of General Villa, the victorious Mexican rebel leader, was taken after the battle of Zacatcas. It is now reported that Villa may not participate in the attack on Queretaro, toward which General Obregon is hastening. He has returned to Torreon with most of his army. It is said in some dispattches that Villa has been the victim of cleverly played politics. He was kept from pushing on San Luis Potosi by his row with Carranza.

SEVEN OF THE EIGHT BALLOONS HAVE LANDED

The "Goodyear" Made the Only Impressive Flight.

It Descended Near Cincinnati, Having Made Approximately 320 Miles, Piloted by Preston, of Akron, Ohio.

St. Louis, July 12.—Seven of the eight ballons that started from St. Louis yesterday in the national elimination race landed today and tonight. Of these, the "Goodyear" piloted by R. A. D. Preston, of Akron, Ohio, made the only impressive fight. The "Goodyear" desended at Constance, Ky., a few miles south of Cincinnati, at 6:20 p. m., having made approximately 320 miles.

The other ballons heard from all landed within a radius of 150 miles of St. Louis. In the main they reported unfavorable weather conditions. Pilot Preston of the "Goodyear" reported that he descended because his ballast gave out.

The whereabouts of one balloon was not known at a late hour. This was the "San Francisco 1915" pilot E. S. Colye, St. Louis. The last heard of it was at 8 o'clock Sunday morning when it passed Dahlgreen, Ills.

At 10 o'clock tonight the first balloons as reported landed follow:

"Goodyear," Pilot R. A. D. Preston, Akron, Ohio, landed near Constance, Ky., 6:20 p. m., approximate distance 320 miles.

"America III," pilot Dr. Jerome Kingsbury, New York; landed near Princeton, Ind., 11:17 a. m., approximate distance of 138 miles.

"Miss Sophia," pilot William Assmann, St. Louis, landed at Flatrock, Ills., approximate distance 132 miles.

"Kansas City II.," pilot John Watts, Kansas City, landed at Enfield, Ills., 2:30 approximtely 103 miles.

"Uncle Sam," flot Paul J. McCullough, landed near Lewis, Ind., 9:20 a. m., approximately 150 miles.

"Aero Club of St. Louis," pilot Captain John Berry, St. Louis; landed five miles east of Terre Haute, Ind., at 2 p. m., approximately 150 miles.

"Pennsylvania," pilot Arthur T. Atherholt, landed near Rockville, Ills., 9:15 a. m.

STRIFE IN MEXICO IS ABOUT TO END

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they claim he is friendly with reactionary interests in Mexico City and deny his right to exercise executive power. Rafael Zuburan, spokesman here for General Carranza tonight said that as the Constitutionalist could not recognize Huerta they obviously could not recognize his creation.

Carranza's Intention.

General Carranza intends to insist on a military conquest of Mexico City and the establishment of himself as president ad interim while elections are called.

Although Carranza has announced his unwillingness to treat with Carbajal, it is authoritatively known that if such an attitude is insisted upon, strong intimations of disapproval will proceed from influential countries, who will refuse to recognize Carranza unless he manifests a disposition to give quarter to his weakened enemy. An effort will be made by diplomats as soon as Carbajal is elevated to the presidency to obtain from the United States some manifestation of friendliness to strengthen the Carbajal government.

President Wilson is in close communication with John R. Silliman, American consul at Saltillo.

HIGH TYPHOID RATE IS DUE TO BAD PLUMBING

Says Potomac States Association of Plumbers.

Laws to Regulate Plumbing and Sanitation in Virginia, Maryland and District Urged—"Rascality of Plumbers."

Richmond, Va., July 12.—Insufficient laws regulating plumbing and sanitation in Virginia, Maryland and District of Columbia, are held responsible for the high typhoid rate and for the prevalence of other diseases in the two States and the District by the Potomac States Association of Plumbers, Gas Fitters and Steam Fitters which met in annual session here today. Washington and many cities in Virginia and Maryland were represented.

President William J. Spencer, of Washington, denounced sanitary conditions in the capital, charging that a large percentage of its disease is caused by defective or neglected water and sanitary pipes.

"The alarming conditions," he said, "are due to the rascalitty of plumbers who sacrifice the health of the public to their own personal profits, and to the negligent landlords and rental agents who are given to the abominable practice of ignoring the house after occupancy."

Resolutions were adopted calling for the establishment of State boards of examiners. W. J. Spencer, of Washington, was re-elected president and W. F. Minter, of Richmond, secretary and treasurer.

MYSTERY OF NELMS WOMEN DEEPENING

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was dated New Orleans June 28 and said: "Going further West."

After the aid of police in New Orleans, San Francisco and San Antonio had been called in vain, Mrs. Nelms called for assistance from Victor E. Innes, formerly United States attorney of Nevada, who was located in Portland, Oregon.

Engaged to Innes.

The case was complicated still further when Mrs. Nelms declared Mrs. Dennis had been engaged to Mr. Innes. Innes denied the engagement. He said he had acted as attorney for Mrs. Dennis when she obtained a divorce at Reno, 18 months ago.

Other startling statements made by Mrs. Nelms were that Innes yielded a hypnotic influence over Mrs. Dennis and that he had promised to turn over to Beatrice Nelms deeds for Mexican property he was supposed to have purchased for Mrs. Dennis. It was to get these papers, Mrs. Nelms asserted, that Beatrice Nelms went to Houston. Another statement, later denied by Innes, was that he had been in Atlanta early in June.

When located in Portland, Innes declared Mrs. Dennis had told him she made several attempts to kill herself and that she had planned to kill her sister. He denied emphatically the statements of Mrs. Nelms and said he never had represented Mrs. Dennis in any Mexican investments.

The latest clew, which apparently has only added to the confusion, was the tracing of an express package sent to Beatrice Nelms in care of Mrs. Margaret Mindes, of San Antonio. Mrs. Mindes, according to Mrs. Nelms, came to Atlanta early in June saying she was an aunt of Innes. She is said to have come in connection with certain Mexican investments of Mrs. Dennis.

BOMB IS DISCOVERED UNDER FAMOUS CHURCH

Attempt to Blow Up St. John the Evangelist

Active Millitant Suffragist is Arrested —Bomb Lighted Candle Near Its Fuse—Sylvia Pankhurst Active Again

London, July 12.—A bomb with a lighted candle near its fuse was discovered tonight in the famous old church of St. John The Evangelist, Westminster. Annie Bell, a woman who several times has figured in suffragist activities, was arrested. This church was damaged last March by a suffragist bomb.

Suffragists have been active during the week end, burning a railway station near Leicester. They are suspected of being responsible for an explosion last night in one of several mail bags being conveyed from Blackpool to Manchester. The explosion set fire to other mail bags.

Despite the fact that her license of release from Hollowey pail hadn't expired, Sylvia Pankhurst today took part in a suffragist procession through the East end of London.

Many members of the East Londan Federation assembled outside Miss Pankhurst's residence and as a band played "The Red Flag," she entered a wagonette unmolsted by the police. She quickly was surrounded by a body guard.

The militant leader spoke in a public hall when the procession ended. Referring to the deputation, Premier Asquith received June 20th she said the Premier needed to be enlightened regarding conditions under which women lived in the East end.

Miss Pankhurst advocated a "no vote, no rent" crusade, which would terrify the government.

Royalty Freshly Insulted.

Edinburgh, Scotland, July 12.—King George and Queen Mary, who made their last public appearance today in their Scottish tour, were subpected to a fresh insult by a suffragist as they drove to St. Johns Cathedrel to attend morning services. Just outside the cathedrel a Dundee suffragist, Olive Walker, broke through the line of spectators and police and ran toward the royal carriage. She hurled a rubber ball to which was attached a label inscribed: "Stop forcible feeding."

The ball landed on the lap of the queen, who laughingly brushed it aside. The woman was removed by the police from a threatening crowd, but later was released.

FIGHTING AROUND SAN LUIS POTOSI

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railroad lines southeast of Guadalajara in the direction of Mexico City.

A strong force of the command of General Rudio Navarrete, who commanded the Federal forces interposed between the Americans at Vera Cruz and Mexico City, sent to recapture Tuxpam, was repulsed Thursday with disastrous loss by a Constitutionalist force under General Candido Augilar, according to a report received here today.

Federals Resist Desperately.

It has been learned, it was stated at Constitutionalist headquarters here, that the Federals have concentrated every available man at San Luis Potosi sending remaints of the garrisons of Guadalapara and Zacatects and a part of the garrison of Mexico City as well as 5,000 troops to oppose General Gonzales.

Try sliced cucumbers, new onions, beets and lettuce.

Bunches of asparagus tips encircled by green pepper rings on lettuce.

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WANTED—Small 20 to 30 H. P. second-hand horizontal tubular boiler. Must be in good condition. Box 63, City. jy12-tf

POWER BOAT for sale cheap. One year old, 28 feet long, 8 feet beam, with cabin. Apply 710 Castle street. Jas. F. Smith. jy12-7t*

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WANTED—A young country boy or man to work in grocery store. One who is not afraid of work and has some little experience. Address in own writing and state age. A. C. M. Y., care Star. jy9-3t*

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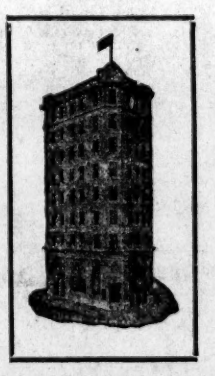

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